

## FEDERAL INQUIRY BEGUN

## HON. BUTLER AMES

Says Lawrence Strikers Are Deserving  
of Much Sympathy

LAWRENCE, Feb. 28.—The first of at least two investigations by federal officers into certain phases of the situation surrounding the long standing strike of mill workers in this city was begun today. Special Agent William C. Dannenberg of the department of justice, acting under United States District Attorney Asa P. French, presided over an inquiry into the exportation of children. He came to Lawrence to ascertain particularly whether the police officials in preventing the departure of one hundred children for Philadelphia last Saturday acted in violation of the inter-state commerce law. Members of the children's sub-committee of the strike committee appeared before him and offered the strikers evidence regarding this particular matter. Alleged ill-treatment of women and children by the police did not enter into this inquiry. The wages and working conditions in the mills of the city are to be the subject of the investigation and an official who will arrive here tomorrow to start the investigation.

Congressman Butler Ames in whose district Lawrence is situated concluded a two days' personal investigation of the strike today and will leave for Washington tonight. After attending a lively session of the strike committee this morning, Congressman Ames said he believed himself now well acquainted with all sides in the controversy and expressed the opinion that the strikers are deserving of much sympathy.

The session of the strike committee of the I. W. W. today was replete with protests against certain alleged actions of the police and militia. It was charged that the police and court officials have accepted cut rates on fines, in one case offering to reduce a \$5 fine first to \$3, then to \$1, and finally the deposit of an overcoat worn by a man arrested. The overcoat was then given, it is alleged, in payment of the fine. It was said also that the women among the strikers have decided not to pay a fine in any case when arrested but to fill the jails. In connection with a statement from the bench by Judge Mahoney, which was reiterated by him today, one of the women declared that they are acting as pickets of their own volition and not at the command of any leaders. In connection with the cases of two women arrested this morning, both of whose cases were continued, Judge Mahoney again took occasion to criticize "the fellows behind who are putting women and children on the streets to picket" and he added that he could deal with these women only as he would with men. A permanent organization to assist in the maintenance of law and order in Lawrence was perfected today at a meeting of a committee of citizens, the board of trade and other business organizations.

Lawrence people generally were made easier in mind by the announcement today that the troops were not to be dismissed. A rumor that the military forces were to be dispensed with aroused hundreds of inquiries during the forenoon. This rumor is believed to have originated in the fact that Col. Sweetser in his conference with Gov. Foss in Boston yesterday is understood to have requested that he be relieved of command and be allowed to resume his normal life.

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## A BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE

To the Memory of Late Deputy  
Fire Chief Norton

A notable tribute of respect and love was paid the memory of the late James F. Norton, deputy chief of the fire department, today when citizens from all walks of life in our city attended the funeral services in St. Peter's church. Since the death of the late deputy

Unnecessary  
Suffering

It is probable that almost all cases of indigestion can be quickly relieved, or that there is much more suffering from this trouble than must be endured. This opinion is based on the satisfaction dyspeptics are giving. These tablets combine the best digestives, carminatives, and correctives in the most effective manner. A lady writes: "Dyspeptics have done wonders for me. I was troubled with dyspepsia for three years, and could not get anything that would make me feel as well as I feel now. Dyspeptics are a quick and agreeable remedy, and came to me like a God-send, my stomach having been in such a bad condition that I could not eat anything without great distress." Dyspeptics are prepared by C. I. Hood Co., and sold by all druggists.

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lary. The choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. J. W. McKennedy presiding at the organ. At the offertory Mr. James E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi" and "De Profundis" was rendered by Thomas P. Boulger.

After the service the cortege proceeded up Gorham street to St. Patrick's cemetery. The sidewalks were crowded with people. Preceding the hearse walked the corpse that Deputy Chief Norton drove since he was appointed to office. The hearse, with a drape of black for a blanket and led by a fireman was attached to the late deputy's carriage which was also draped, and on the seat of which was placed a mammoth fire chief's hat, the floral tribute of associates in the department. As the cortege passed by the firehouse in Gorham street, the men of Capt. Foley's company in dress uniform, were lined up in front of the station and the bells tolled. Rev. Fr. Mullin read the complimentary prayers at the grave in St. Patrick's where interment took place in the family lot.

Among the floral tributes placed on the grave were the following: Pillow, inscribed "Father," from the family; pillow inscribed "Brother," Annie Norton; pillow, inscribed "Grandpa," grandchildren; large cross, inscribed "Brother," Mr. and Mrs. Edward Norton; large wreath on base with ribbon, inscribed "Good-by, Jim," Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welsh; the former driver for deceased; cross and crown, inscribed "Last Call, Box 125," board of engineers; large tablet with raised anchor, Mass. State Firemen's Association; fireman's helmet, inscribed "L. F. V. A.," Veterans Firemen Assn.; anchor on base, also perpetual mass at St. Anne de Beaupre, from Engine 1; wreath, from William J. Collins; large standing crescent on base, Engine 2; large anchor and cross, Engine 3; crescent on base, Truck 2; pillow,

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donohoe; wreath on base, Engine 6; large wreath on base, Ladder 4; large wreath on base, Engine 11; large wreath on base, Engine Company 5; large wreath on base, Protective Company; large wreath on base, Engine Company 12; cross and crown, Engine 7; wreath, Michael J. Bourke; wreath, Robert Sloan; large cross, Engine Company 8; large spray of calla lilies with lavender ribbon, Emily F. Carbury of Roxbury; large wreath from Dr. and Mrs. Norton; spray of roses with ribbon inscribed "Grandfather," from George; large wreath from Dwight club of Cambridge; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt, Mr. E. Barry of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan, Richard Griffiths, J. F. O'Donnell; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Moore and Miss Minnie P. Callaghan, South Boston; wreath, from Cunningham family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. A. Foote and Marlon Foote of Haverhill; wreath, Mrs. and Miss Martin of Boston; standing wreath,

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JAMES F. NORTON,  
The Late Deputy Fire Chief

Edw. Meloy family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Akers and May Marlette; crescent and star, Engine 9; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Gulline and family and Mrs. Gulline; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Collins; large column, Steamer 2; wreath, Gormley family. The bearers were: Asst. Engineer Edward Meloy, Capt. Daniel H. Crowley of Engine 8, Capt. James F. McKissock of Truck 4, Capt. Charles D. Foley of Engine 1, Lieut. Franklin B. Akers of Engine 2, and Thomas H. Welch, driver for Assistant Chief Norton for a number of years.

The delegation from the Knights of Columbus was: G. K. Henry J. Heaps, D. G. K. Joseph F. Roarke, Trustee John F. Welch, Lecturer John H. Murphy, Patrick Conlon, Roger J. Lang, Edward F. Saunders James W. McKenna. The delegation from the Veteran

## TONIGHT

Calvary Church, 5 o'clock. Doors open 7:15. Brilliant Russian Boy Violinist, Samuel A. Blackman, of Boston. Mendelssohn's "Ave Maria," Lowell. Miss Edna Spear, of Texas, reads. Ellisworth Blanchard, Boston, Boy Soprano. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, Lowell and Prof. Albert Walker, Cambridge. Tickets 25c. Committee and at Door.

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7 to 9 o'clock.

## BOY WAS STABBED

Police Have a Good Description of  
the Assailant

Edward Kapala, aged 14 years and living at 28 Jewett street, was stabbed in the chest shortly before one o'clock this afternoon as he was standing in John street near the corner of Merrimack street. The man who used the knife made his escape, but the police have a good description of him and expect to locate him before long. The boy was taken in the ambulance to St. John's hospital where he received treatment. Although the wound is not very deep it is difficult for the doctors to ascertain at the present time whether or not blood poisoning would result.

It is understood, according to the story told by people who were on the street at the time of the stabbing, that previous to the assault a number of boys were snowballing people who passed through the street. Whether or not Kapala was throwing snowballs is in doubt, but the man who did the stabbing was evidently provoked as a result of being struck. The man, after being struck, turned around suddenly and drawing a knife from his pocket stabbed Kapala. The boy was taken into the store of F. & E. Bailey & Co. at the corner

of Merrimack and John streets where he was treated. In the meantime the ambulance was summoned and upon its arrival the injured boy was taken to St. John's hospital. An examination at the hospital showed that the knife had struck the eighth rib on his right side and after making an incision glanced away. The man who did the stabbing was evidently an employee in one of the local mills, and after he used the knife he ran away. The police were immediately notified and having a good description of him expect to locate him in a short time.

## AN OLD RESIDENT

Onesime Richard Passed  
Away Last Night

Onesime Richard, one of the oldest residents of this city, died last night at the home of his son, Pierre Richard, 25 Worthen street. Deceased was 85 years old last April, accidentally fell down a flight of stairs at his home in Worthen street two months ago. He did not seem to be injured at the time, but nevertheless a physician was called. It was found that the aged man was suffering from internal injuries. Everything was done to save his life, but on account of his advanced age, his chances for recovery were slight and last night he breathed his last.

Onesime Richard was born at St. Catharines, Que., 38 years ago. He became one of the wealthiest farmers of his native town. Forty years ago he sold his property and came to Lowell with his family which was quite large. Mr. Richard was married twice and was the father of fifteen children, twelve of whom are living. They are Onesime of Isle du Pas, Que., Hyacinthe of the same place, Mrs. J. B. Chaput of St. Wenceslas, Que., Alfred and Louis of Boston, Joseph, Octave, Rehanie, Pierre, Adrien, Mrs. Octave Gilman and Mrs. Pierre Chaput of Lowell. He is also survived by 60 grandchildren and about 20 great grandchildren. Deceased was well known in this city where he counts a host of friends who will be pained to learn

of his demise. He was a fervent Catholic and a devout attendant of St. Joseph's church which he saw established.

## DEATHS

STAFFORD—George Stafford, aged 36 years, a popular and highly-respected resident of Chelsea, passed away at his home in that city yesterday. Deceased was a brother of William H. Stafford of Lowell, who is the grand secretary of the Foresters of America. The latter has the sympathy of his many friends in his sad bereavement.

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## BOARD OF TRADE

THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE  
TO MEET TOMORROW

The weekly meeting of the membership committee of the Lowell board of trade will be held tomorrow noon at the New American house. Inasmuch as the members of the different teams have been active during the past two weeks it is expected that there will be a big increase in the number of names at the meeting tomorrow. Last week the members of the teams did not meet owing to the fact that the date of the regular gathering fell on Washington's birthday.

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# WOMAN FACES DEATH

## Supreme Court Decision Settles Fate of Mrs. Cusumano

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—By the decision of the supreme court yesterday, Mrs. Lena Cusumano, convicted of the murder of her husband, unless the governor and council commute her sentence, will be the first woman to die in the electric chair in the history of Massachusetts.

She will be the first woman to enter a death cell in Charlestown prison. There is no nation in the prison—nothing provided for a woman who is going to her death. She will have to spend 10 days before her execution in the death cell and, during the time, the officials of the prison are in a quandary as to what they are to do.

The efforts of her counsel and the hundreds interested in her case proved unavailing before the full bench that decided the question yesterday, and it was the unanimous belief of the judges that the law demanded the woman's life.

The legal points raised by Thomas J. Gaffey, counsel for Mrs. Cusumano, which brought the case before the supreme court, was that the trial judge had erred in allowing certain testimony to go to the jury. The court did not sustain his objections.

However, with the first word of the supreme court's decision a campaign to save Mrs. Cusumano's life has been begun and undoubtedly every possible effort will be made to prevent the woman from going to her death in the electric chair.

Governor Foss has already expressed himself, for as soon as he learned that the woman had been sentenced to the chair he said she would never go to her death in such a manner and he had exhausted every possible means of prevention open to him.

There are various societies whose purpose of existence is the abolishment of capital punishment, and there are thousands who will do all in their power to prevent Mrs. Cusumano's going to the chair simply because she is a woman.

By the decision the fate of Enrico Mascioli, the woman's lover, and her accomplice in the slaying of her husband, is also finally determined, and

## THURSDAY BARGAINS

Black Taffeta, black, colored and striped messaline waists, high and low neck, long, kimona and set in sleeve, \$3.97 and \$5.00 value, marked down to

**\$2.50**

Messaline Waists in black, brown and navy, and black and white Jap. silk waists; high and low neck, long and short sleeves. Regular price \$2.97, marked down to

**\$1.97**

Lingerie Waists, daintily lace and Hamburg trimmed, high and low neck, \$2.97 and \$2.50 value, marked down to

**\$1.25**

Lace trimmed White Petticoats, with heading run with ribbon, \$1.50 value, marked down to

**97c**

White Petticoats with deep flounce of handsome Hamburg, with insertion to match, regular price \$2.97, marked down to

**\$1.97**

Combinations, lace and Hamburg trimmed, marked down from 97c to

**69c**

House Dresses, made one-piece, good quality of percale in pretty stripes and checks, \$1.25 value, marked down to

**79c**

Black Petticoats of light weight moreen with tucked circular flounce, 69c value, marked down to

**29c**

Drawers of good cotton, tucked ruffle, 25c value, marked down to

**15c**

Corset Covers, lace and Hamburg trimmed, heading run with ribbon, marked down to

**25c**

**THE White Store**  
116 Merrimack St.

## BABY'S HEAD ITCHED SO COULD NOT SLEEP

Sores Began to Come on Cheeks. Were Raw as Could Be. Would Scratch Till They Bled. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In 6 Weeks Baby Well as Ever.

125 Clark St., Clinton, Mass.—"My babies are two boys aged at the age of three months one of them began to have sores on his head which looked like little pimples. In a few days it was raw and swollen. I tried all I thought was good for him until it began to come on his two cheeks. They were as raw as could be and he would scratch till they bled and many nights I had to sit up in bed and rub his head with my hand, for it would itch so he could not sleep."

"The doctor told me it was eczema. I had heard lots about Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, so I sent for a sample and I found on the fourth day baby slept better and the swelling was gone. The water no longer ran from his head, and he made no attempt to scratch. So I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and in six weeks' time baby was as well as ever."

"His head was so covered with sores I had to cut his hair close to his head. Now his hair has grown long and he has had no more sores. If every mother feels as I did to see her little ones suffer and try to rub the little head on the pillow to get some relief, they will try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment to cure baby." (Signed) Mrs. John Brooks, Nov. 19, 1911.

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All this time he had been trying off and on to get in touch with the relatives he left behind in New York. A few months ago his wife died at Concord and he found himself with several young children on his hands and longing all the more for some one to help him. He had deserted as a boy. He applied to Mayor French at Concord, Mass. French got in touch with Mayor Gaynor at New York. In time the city authorities got busy and during the last few days word has come that Armstrong has gone to the chair simply because she is a woman.

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56 and 58 in. Mannish Navy Serges, soft or hard finish, regular price \$2.00. Special at \$1.50 yard  
40 in. Whip Cord Serges, either plain or with white pencil stripe, colors, brown, tan, white, garnet, gray, navy, royal and black. Special at 50c yard  
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36 in. Cream Bedford Cord. Special at 50c yard  
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46 in. All Wool Cream Serges with black stripes, regular price \$1.25. Special at \$1.00 yard  
56 in. Extra Heavy Faggy Serge with black stripe, regular price \$1.75. Special at \$1.25 yard  
40 in. Mannish Checks and Stripes in a large variety of colors, all this season's designs, copied from \$1.50 goods. Special at 50c yard  
44 in. Wool Beau de Soie, otherwise known as the doll finish Prunella, in all the new shades, regular price \$1.25. Special at \$1.00 yard  
36 in. All Wool Batiste and India Twills, in all the evening and street shades. Special at 50c yard

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## MINOR LICENSES

GRANTED BY THE LICENSE BOARD LAST NIGHT

The license board met in regular session last night and granted a number of minor licenses.

Nathan Greenbaum who resides at 101 Chelmsford street, appeared before the board on a complaint charging him with using offensive and abusive language to a police officer. Chairman John J. Mullane was present when the alleged abusive language was used and stated that he felt the officer would be justified in arresting the man.

Mr. Mullane did not care to press the matter and the respondent was allowed to retain his license as a hawk-er and peddler.

The licenses granted were as follows: Hawker and peddler, Mike Williams & Co., 5 rear of St. Chapel street; Angelo Pilato, 137 Gorham street; Giuseppe Pilato, 165 Gorham street.

Surrendered and cancelled: Fred Wolfe, 489 Middlesex street, billiard and pool.

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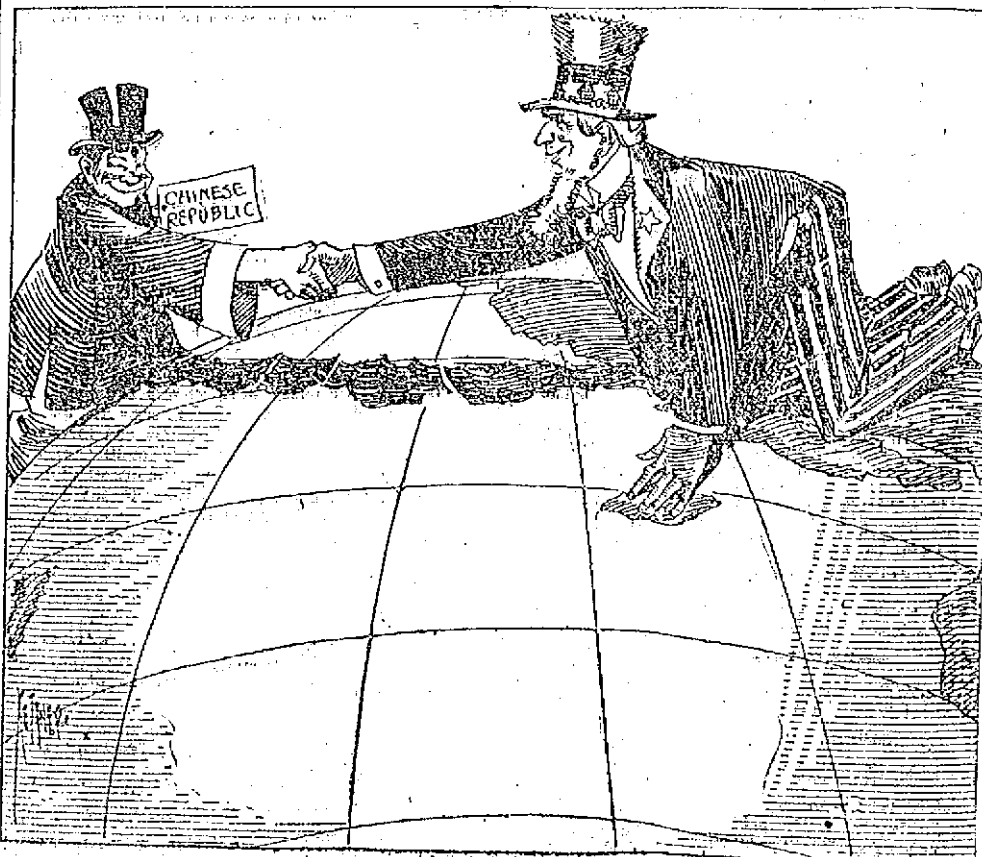
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## LEGISLATORS PLEASED

MR. A. G. CUNNOCK,  
Chairman of Trustees.With What They Saw at Textile  
School Last Night

The young men who are learning the secrets of the textile industry at the Lowell Textile school were given some sound advice by Senator Clark, chairman of the legislative committee on education, last night. The committee came to Lowell last evening to visit the textile school and was met at the Richardson hotel by Mayor O'Donnell and Commissioner Barrett, members ex-officio of the board of trustees; Senator Barlow and Representatives Jewett, Poomey, Craig, Cuff, Butler, Keams and Achin. The party had supper at the hotel and then went by special car to the textile school where they were met by President A. G. Cunnock of the board of trustees, James T. Smith, clerk, and Charles H. Eames, principal.

They don't know what they're missing."

## Making Baseball Toss

All of the committee members were very much interested in the work that was being done in the different rooms and some of the loom men were surprised at the wide field that is being covered by the textile school, from the raw material to the finished article and including the finest of work and richest designs.

Most of the machinery in the building is the most modern in the market and quite a lot of it, of course, has been donated. The cloth and other articles in process of making were there to show for themselves and the mechanism of the different machines were explained by the operators. The visitors were delighted with the work of the different rooms as it was unfolded to the eye and the climax was reached when Principal Eames, upon picking up a well knit stocking, cardinal in color, and a piece of gray cloth, very modestly remarked that the boys were making their own baseball suits, stockings and all.

"I feel like giving these fellows three cheers," said Rep. Haines, house chairman. "I am delighted with everything that I have seen here tonight," he continued, "and when it comes to baseball I'm Johnnie-on the spot with the appreciation. A boy who can make his own baseball logs, stockings and all, is a corker, and with all that I have seen here tonight I wouldn't be surprised to hear, a few years hence, that battleships were being built at the Lowell Textile school."

## Students as Builders

The visitors were escorted from the main building to the annex and when it was pointed out to them that the substantial and pretentious annex was not only built by the young men of the school, but that they even made the bricks used in the construction of it, they looked surprised and said that the school was a great institution, but they were congratulated. "I have heard a good deal about the Lowell Textile school," said one of the committee, "but I didn't think it as great as it is. I hope that no vote of mine will ever in any way hinder the work of this school."

## In the Glass Rooms

Senator Clark had a word to say to the boys and young men in the different classes and he admonished them to keep away from whiskey and el-

arettes. "There is nothing good in either cigarettes or whiskey," said the senator, and the boy who indulges in either one is sure to regret it. Our boys should seek the things that are elevating, not the things that are dangerous and degrading. If you would have success in life keep away from whiskey and cigarettes."

## Boys Interrogated

In the room where mechanical drawing was being taught and in other rooms, President Cunnock asked the boys several questions for the benefit of the visitors. The boys were asked where they lived, if they worked during the day and what time they would get home at night after leaving the school. Quite a number of boys were from out of town, and boys from Haverhill and Lawrence said it would be pretty nearly midnight before they would reach home. One young man said that train accommodations were poor and he appealed to Mr. Cunnock to use his influence for better service. The question relative to working days elicited the fact that all of the boys in all of the classes had worked during day. "I admire you boys for the ambition that your presence here makes manifest and for the courage you exhibit," said Senator Clark, "and I sincerely hope that the foundation which you are now laying will be surmounted by a career worthy of your industry, a credit to yourselves and to the school."

## Personal of Committee

The members of the committee are Senators Clark (chairman), Nason and Hunt; Representatives Haines (house chairman), Greenwood, Morse (clerk), Baker, Wood, McElaney, Morrill and Cummings.

## The Financial End

With reference to the financial end of the school, it was stated that since 1873, when the institution was established, there has been received from the commonwealth the sum of \$652,-

CHARLES H. EAMES,  
Principal

\$493.66, and there has been contributed from outside sources the sum of \$204,-\$27.11, making an excess of outside contributions amounting to \$12,339.45. Last year, the school received \$33,700. This year the following amounts are estimated as being necessary to the progress of the school.

Maintenance, \$40,000; regular amount voted by the city, \$8000; legislative appropriation by the city of Lowell, \$10,000; desired to set aside 10 school buses at \$140 apiece, annually; the sum of \$18,335, of which \$10,175 shall be for equipment for cotton fabric finishing, \$8219 shall be for equipment for electric laboratory, the sum of \$2084 shall be for the textile testing equipment, and sum of \$2300 shall be for additional forms and other equipment in the dyeing laboratory; also that the sum of \$25,000 be given by the state conditional upon the raising of a like amount from outside sources for paying off the \$50,000 owed by the school.

The point was emphasized to the committee that the state would not be obligated to pay one cent of the \$25,000, unless the school raised an equal amount from outside sources.

## SAMUEL ALSCHULER

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CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—One of the liveliest political fights that Illinois has seen in many years is now under way. Samuel Alschuler of Aurora has opened headquarters here in the LaSalle hotel and is conducting his campaign under the slogan "Nominale the man who can



win in November." He expects to speak in every county in the state before the primaries on April 9. Mr. Alschuler was the democratic candidate for governor in 1900 and was defeated, though he carried 15,000 more votes than the nation's democratic ticket. In that election he carried Chicago by 7600, though McKinley had a plurality in the city of 17,667.

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## LARCENY IS CHARGED FINED FOR ASSAULT

Orlando Hines of Winchester Man Accused by Former Partner  
Placed Under Arrest Ordered to Pay \$12

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—As Orlando W. Hines, 22 years old, of 44 Mount Vernon street, Winchester, was about to leave this city with his wife and child on a steamer bound for Savannah yesterday afternoon, he was arrested by Sergt. Farrell and Inspector Harris of police headquarters. They held a warrant charging him with the larceny of \$75 from the Liberty Trust company of 127 Washington street.

The police said later that the larceny charged to Hines amounted to several hundred dollars and that additional charges will be preferred today, up his arraignment.

Last Saturday Hines appeared at the Liberty Trust company, declaring it is said, he desired to open an account. He is alleged to have told the officials of the company that he had more than \$700 on deposit at the Middlesex county National bank of Winchester. They claim he opened an account, depositing a check for \$500 drawn on the Winchester bank, then cashing a check for \$25.

Monday morning he is alleged to have drawn \$75 from the trust company and Monday afternoon, it is claimed, he secured a certified check for \$100.50. The latter was made payable to the agent of the Savannah Line and was tendered in payment for two round-trip tickets.

Yesterday several checks Hines is alleged to have passed upon local concerns drawn on the Liberty Trust company reached that company through regular channels. An investigation revealed that all Hines had on deposit at the Winchester bank was \$1.10.

Police headquarters was notified and Sergt. Farrell and Inspector Harris detailed to the case. They knew that the Savannah boat was due to sail yesterday and they were waiting at the dock when Hines appeared with his wife and child. The wife and child returned to their Winchester home after Hines had been locked up. So far as known, Hines has given the police no explanation for his alleged larceny.

Hines said that he intended upon reaching Savannah to secure the agency in that city for a Chicago firm that sold land on the installment plan.

One of the most amusing cases that has been brought before the attention of the local police court for a long time was that of Benjamin Sideman who appeared before Judge John J. Pickman this morning on a complaint charging him with assault and battery on Morris Goldberg. Both men are hawkers and peddlers and as a result of a difference of opinion last Wednesday morning there was an assault. The court, after considering the case, found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$12.

According to the testimony offered by the complainant and defendant, the partners for several years and last Wednesday the question arose over the ownership of certain measures. The pair met in Daly street and there was an assault. Sideman claims that he was struck first; Goldberg denied the allegation. Sideman testified that after taking a measure and striking Goldberg over the head.

There were several witnesses who testified but their testimony was so contradictory that the court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of \$12.

## Assaulted His Wife

Henry Walker entered a plea of not guilty to a complaint charging him with assault and battery on his wife, Louise. The complainant's right eye was slightly discolored and during the course of her testimony she said that her husband had struck her five times. He denied the allegation but admitted that he had slapped her twice. The court found that the man's own admission was sufficient to find him guilty and a fine of \$12 was imposed.

## Neglected His Wife

Henry J. Frissell was charged with neglecting his wife, Annie M. Frissell, told a pitiful story of her neglect and the defendant admitting part of his wife's testimony pleaded to the court to give him a chance to return to his mother.

The case was continued until Friday morning for further consideration.

## Stole a Stove

Amelia Gay, a young woman, pleaded guilty to the complaint of stealing an oil stove, the property of Adele Smith. It appeared according to the testimony that the girl had been wayward and inconstant as she acknowledged that she had committed the larceny. The court ordered her sentenced to one month in jail.

## Twenty Days in Jail

William Monahan pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of three and one-half pounds of habits, the property of the city of Lowell. He was sentenced to 20 days in jail.

## Case Continued

The case of Patrick Carney charged with doing plumbing without a license, was continued until tomorrow morning owing to the non-appearance of the defendant.

## Another Case Continued

Joseph H. Donovan, charged with

the larceny of \$67.50 from the United Shoe Workers of America, appeared in court but at the request of his counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, the case was continued until March 7. Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston appeared for the government.

## Fine of \$40 Imposed

George Cameron, a former employee of the Yorkick club, was charged with the larceny of a watch valued at \$40, the property of Albert D. Milliken, superintendent of the Hamilton Mfg. Co. The young man admitted that he stole the watch last March and afterwards left the city. Recently the local police learned that Cameron was working at a hotel in Boston and the police of the Hub upon receiving a warrant arrested the culprit. The court after considering the case found Cameron guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$40.

## Placed on Probation

John Michellin, charged with being drunk, was placed in the custody of the probation officer, Timothy Manning, also charged with being drunk was fined \$6.

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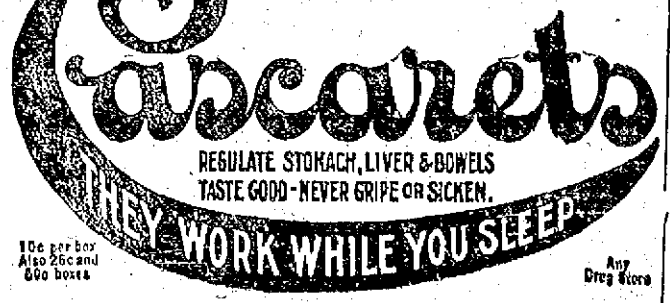
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# SCHOOL BOARD MET

## Members Clashed Over Transfer of High School Teacher

At the regular meeting of the school board held last night there developed a somewhat spirited controversy relating to a transfer in the teaching force at the high school. Previous to the meeting a conference was held with Principal Cyrus W. Irish of the High school and it was 10:15 o'clock when the meeting was called.

The action having to do with the transfer in question was taken in the conference and Mr. Rogers brought it before the board in the form of a motion. The motion was seconded by Mr. Farrington and Dr. Bagley objected on the ground that the chairman had no right to second a motion while occupying the chair.

Mr. Rogers asked the privilege of going on record as dissenting from the action of the committee on High school, taken in private conference, and was permitted. Mr. Farrington said he wanted to go on record as agreeing with Mr. Rogers.

### Committee on Rules

The committee on rules was not ready to report, as had been expected, another meeting being necessary before the new rules can be voted upon. Mr. Rogers, however, as chairman of that committee, made reference to the important question of the revision of rules relating to the method of hiring teachers, and moved that the master of the High school and the grammar masters of the city be invited to meet the committee in conference, to make suggestions, as educational experts regarding the matter, for the consideration of the board. This motion called out a vigorous protest from Dr. O'Connor and Dr. Bagley. Mr. Rogers' motion was lost, four to one.

At a special meeting held some time ago the salaries of Messrs. Barry, Callahan and Green were raised \$200. The other grammar masters were allowed this increase when appointed to the advisory board. In the reading of the secretary's report of former meetings there was included the record of a meeting held February 21, when a resolution honoring Cardinal O'Connell was passed, the resolution having been introduced by Dr. O'Connor.

### School Physician Elected

Dr. O'Connor, for the committee on school houses and hygiene, recommended a suspension of the rules of the election of Dr. Charles M. Roughan as school physician. Dr. Roughan was elected.

Dr. O'Connor recommended that a dental clinic be established at the Northern street school for the benefit of the school children. Dr. Bagley is very much interested in this movement and spoke on the question. He has prepared a list of the supplies needed to carry on the work which will be philanthropic on the part of the members of the Dental association. Dr. O'Connor recommended the election of David H. Anglin as janitor and he was elected. The position that he is to fill was not specified.

Superintendent Whitcomb reported the city solicitor's opinion that the state law permitting employees to draw a proportionate part of their

salaries in cases of enforced quarantine, applies to teachers as to other employees.

A request from the Curtis Publishing company, asking permission to examine the school registers for the purpose of securing canvassers, was submitted by the superintendent, and the request was refused, as establishing a bad precedent.

### Leave to Withdraw

Raymond W. Sherburne of the High school asked for an increase of salary for the remainder of the term, to recompense him for losses that he claims he sustained through giving up certain work at the time he was temporarily promoted to the place made vacant by the death of Frank B. Sherburne. The request was made in the form of a communication to the superintendent.

There was a motion that the request be laid on the table. Mr. Rogers objected, saying that when the change was made by the former board, Mr. Sherburne's temporary promotion carried with it an increase of \$40 a month until June 1; that Mr. Sherburne gave up certain other work in consideration of it, and he felt that decisive action should be taken, as a matter of consequence, recognizing the request.

Dr. O'Connor then moved to amend by giving Mr. Sherburne leave to withdraw, and it was so voted.

A communication from the S. F. U. club of New York city, pertaining to a rule of the board made last year, asking the board to rescind the rule, was read by Mr. Whitcomb. The writers asked for a hearing and the request was denied, unanimously.

### Revision of Rules

The matter of the revision of rules was brought up by Mr. Rogers under the head of new business.

He said that one matter to be considered at the next meeting of the committee on rules, was that of the method of selecting teachers, and there would be earnest consideration as to whether the method now provided in the rules is the best one, or whether it is capable of improvement.

He moved that the master of the high school and the masters of the grammar schools be invited to meet the committee in conference, to give the committee the benefit of their experience, in the way of suggestions to be considered by the committee.

### Dr. Bagley Opposed

Dr. Bagley seconded the motion in order to bring the matter up for discussion. He then opposed the motion, saying that he fully appreciated Mr. Rogers' desire to establish a superior system, but he felt that this board was just as capable of devising ways and means of arriving at a good system as any former board had been. The former board did not consider it their place to consult the grammar masters. They thought of the best way of doing things, and went ahead and did them. The time for the selection of teachers, he said, is a long way off, and he had no doubt, when it arrived, the committee would devise ways and means of doing it just as efficiently as the present rule.

Dr. Bagley said that since his elec-

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tion to the school board he had been consulting with educators and people interested in educational work as to the best means of selecting teachers and said it was his intention to formulate and submit a plan that he believed would be superior to the present system.

Dr. O'Connor said he was of the same opinion as Dr. Bagley. He said that the present committee is capable of coping with the situation. He said that the grammar masters he played a pretty important part under the old rules. "If years of experience are necessary on the part of those who select teachers I wonder why it was," said Dr. O'Connor, "that the supervisory board selected the youngest members of the board to do the examining and selecting? Why didn't the experienced men do it? I do not feel that I could conscientiously accept their judgment. Therefore, I oppose the motion."

### Mr. Rogers' Idea

Mr. Rogers allowed that too much weight ought not to be given the action of other boards. The present board was simply trying to get the best possible results. He called attention to the fact that a precedent had been established, by calling in a committee of the teachers to make suggestions as to revision of rules, and the action had been favorably commented upon. If the masters met the committee it would not be in any sense to dictate, but with a view to get such help as they could, through the experience of those men who had been many years in the school, and he did not think that this committee, with an experience of only a few months, could assume to be as proficient in practical knowledge of the matter.

Dr. Bagley: "Practically nine-tenths of the grammar masters are in favor of the present system. If you should elect on the board I have talked with different people in regard to the best method of electing teachers. It is from those suggestions that I intend to advance my views."

The question was called for, and Mr. Rogers asked for a year and nay vote.

### Merit System

Chairman Farrington said he believed the members all agreed in wanting to get the best possible results, and that it should be a merit system of selection. He believed the board should have some expert advice, and he didn't care whether it came from the grammar masters or from someone else.

Dr. Bagley asked why each member of the board did not seek advice from persons who gave educational matter a life study.

The vote was finally taken and all voted "no" except Mr. Rogers.

### Evening High School

Mr. MacKenzie, chairman of the committee on evening schools, brought up the matter of an appropriation for the graduation of the evening high school, stating that it was an event of considerable importance. He had secured the services of David L. Walsh as speaker and he wished to make the exercises as interesting as possible, as the laudable efforts of the pupils and the commendable work done by the school deserved commendation. The sum of \$75 has been allowed in the past.

On motion of Dr. O'Connor the amount was raised to \$100. Dr. O'Connor said that the evening school scholars sacrifice a great deal by attending the evening schools and he believed their ambition, industry and perseverance should be appreciated and encouraged. He would like to see the graduation exercises of the evening classes as nearly as possible on a level with those of the day school. He said that the \$100 would enable the committee in charge of the exercises to hire Associate hall, the High school hall being inadequate.

### Change of Teachers

Mr. Rogers brought up a matter which he said he thought ought not to be restricted to the committee room. He asked for a report of the chairman of the high school committee, Dr. O'Connor.

Dr. O'Connor then reported that at a meeting of the High school committee, held last evening, it was voted that Miss Martin, of the High school, replace Miss Burbank, and that Miss Burbank replace Miss Martin. Miss Martin was put on a temporary substitute teacher by Dr. O'Connor, of which action notice was given at the January meeting.

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### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The members of the P. Paul Marcel troupe scored a tremendous success at the Opera House yesterday afternoon and evening when they produced the famous four-act drama "Les Peres Ennemis." In the afternoon the audience was not very large but the evening attendance paid up for the day. This was the second trip to Lowell of this group of talented actors and their work was greatly appreciated, and the actors themselves were so enthusiastic over the result of their coming, that they

announced they would soon again return to this city.

The plot of the drama is fairly simple. An old man, in his dotage, made a will, disposing of his goods between his two sons in a manner that engendered difficulties, then the fiercest battle for 20 years (the two men had lived on opposite sides of the street, fighting each other with law suits, and by their long, bitter struggles, both their wives had died. However, each had left a child, one of them a beautiful daughter and the other a fine, manly son, who fortunately grew to love each other and proved to be the means of reconciling the two old men.

The cast was as follows:

Jean ..... M. Paul Marcel  
Florence ..... Geo. Dumestre  
Georges ..... Roger Guyet  
Jacques ..... Moussot  
Léon ..... Miral  
Dominique ..... Monroy  
Louise ..... Madame Quevrens  
Marie-Anne ..... Madame C. Paul Marcel  
Nanette ..... J. Dornay  
Juliette ..... Desroche

The palm of the work certainly goes to Mr. Marcel who is an artist. His playing in "Les Peres Ennemis" is exceptionally good and once more he has shown the Lowell public he is inclined to tragedy and sustains his part as only an artist can. A close second to Mr. Marcel is Mr. Dumestre who as a comedian cannot be excelled. He keeps his audience in a mood of laughter and the loud and frequent applause given him last night was a sure sign of approval of his clever work. Madame Quevrens in the part of Louise was all that could be desired. Her emotional work was startling and she with Guyet, her lover, scored a tremendous success in the last scene of the fourth act.

The other parts were also very well sustained and all deserve special mention. The troupe is an excellent one, and probably the best of its kind that has ever visited Lowell and the French speaking people of this city are anxious for a return engagement.

### NAZIMOVA

To the Opera House tonight comes Nazimova in "The Marionettes." The bare announcement that the most extraordinary of the present day stage figures is to visit us would surely elicit a great deal of interest, but when it is added that the troupe is the best play will be found to present her in a new line of effort, the engagement may well be looked forward to as one of the real events of the year.

Nazimova's former plays have usually been of a special appeal, that is, potent of attraction, but "The Marionettes" is a comedy, as she interprets it, is thought to contain the elements of general popularity. To begin with it is a comedy with numerous touches of the tragic, less tragic to the auditor than to poor little Fernande. "Monte Carlo" for the auditor knows, and Fernande does not, which is the secret of successful play-writing—and it is also a love story. Not a love story between two hearts that beat as one, but in the early part of the play, of one heart that almost breaks, and of another that is cold and indifferent.

The Marquis Roger de Montclairs has been a high light in the gayest set in Paris and is a heavily in debt. His exasperated mother, under threat of cutting him off completely, has forced him to marry a very young and entirely unsophisticated little country girl for whom he has not the slightest regard, but whose fortune will smooth his road to Paris.

He has been the object of her romantic dreams and she is devotedly in love with him, but she comes to Paris the rustic who knows nothing of dress, personal adornment or the customs of the set in which her husband moves. She is shrinking, undeveloped, plain, and "devoid of any sense of self," always upon showing her affection for him.

"These qualities are the butt of her set and they grow more and more exasperating until he forgets even the courtesy due her and openly insults her before his friends. He rushes away to Switzerland in company with a dashing and attractive creature, and Fernande is left to custody and tears.

But instead of rushing to the divorce courts, Fernande does what many another woman has done both in plays and in reality: she determines to fight for what she wants with the weapons she has seen used so successfully.

"During her husband's absence she blooms, almost over night, into a flower of fashion, attractiveness and almost recklessness. Admirers rush to her, they have a habit of doing that to a neglected wife not only in Paris but elsewhere, and she flirts outrageously. Upon her husband's return a few weeks later, he finds her "the queen of the town." He is, of course, astonished at the transformation, becomes enchanted and endeavors to claim her, but she affects indifference, even aversion, to him. It is the old story of wanting what seems beyond reach, and losing it when it is within grasp.

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her how completely she has won, her woman's heart triumphs and she takes in her husband's arms as she had always so longed to do.

Perhaps this does not sound like comedy, but the play is a comedy nevertheless. Much of the humor and entertaining interest of the play comes from the other characters, notably an uncle of Fernande, the role which in London was played by Sir John Gielgud.

Nazimova's impersonation of Fernande has been declared to be an extraordinary accomplishment and one which, in its versatility makes her more than ever one of the greatest stage possessions of the period.

An unusually competent supporting company includes Frank Gilmore, Arthur Lewis, Edward Fielding, Franklin Tugbora, A. Romano, Calender, William Haddon, Frank Goldsmith, Arthur Hurley, Grace Carlyle, Kate Meek and Ellen Kearney.

### JAMES K. HACKETT COMING

On March 15th and 16th James K. Hackett and his excellent company will be seen at the Opera House in his latest success, "The Grain of Dust," a four act drama adapted by Louis Evera Shipman, from the novel of the same name by the late David Graham Phillips. Mr. Hackett is now appearing in this play in Boston, and is said to be supported by a company of unusual strength including F. M. Hall, Ed. Eastman, Charles Steadman, and many other artists of equal prominence. The same cast and production will be seen in Lowell, and the success of the engagement here will doubtless be as great as it was elsewhere.

### GET-RICH-QUICK-WALLINGFORD

With the original cast and production, with every detail up to the usual Cohan and Harris standard, the laugh inducing hit "Get-Rich-Quick-Wallingford" under the management of this well known firm of producers comes to the Opera House for two nights and a matinee, March 22 and 23rd. "Get-Rich-Quick-Wallingford" is said to surpass "The Fortune Hunter" as a laugh producer, and is under the same management.

### BABY MINE

Wm. A. Brady's production of the clever comedy, "Baby Mine" comes to the Opera House for one night, March 19th. "Baby Mine" has a record of one year in New York, six months in Chicago, and several weeks in Boston.

### THE ROSARY

Rowland and Clifford have done what other managers didn't believe could be accomplished, namely, repeat with "The Rosary." This play, the sensation of last season, is crowding the theatres again this season, and it comes here soon.

### KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

"Ten Dark Knights" with Charles Smith, the clever colored comedian in the lead, have one of the best black-face comedy and musical acts ever seen here. They give a whole performance and a good one at that. They sing, dance and play the brass instruments and are on the move continuously. De Mott and Maxfield have a neat and enjoyable act entitled "The Manicurist and the Salesman." In which they slip over rapid fire wit and repartee. Mr. De Mott can sing and dance, while Miss Maxfield's imitations are rich. The Steiner Trio are humorous wonders on the horizontal bars doing an act never seen here before. Hugel and Taylor sing, dance and tumble with equal grace. Estelle Wordette and Co. have a delightful comedy playlet entitled "A Honeymoon in the Catskills." Weston Fields and Carroll are snappy singers of snappy and new songs. Helen Norma, the prima donna with two voices of different range, presented a captivating singing act. The Great Kreiger performs in magic and conjury. Then there are the pictures. The bill is strong and well varied.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The views of Cardinal O'Connell, during his visit to Lowell last Sunday, are

only a few of the many interesting series included in this week's program at the Merrimack Square theatre. His Eminence is shown in various places during his travel from St. Patrick's cemetery where he placed a wreath on the graves of his parents, to the reception at St. Patrick's church in the afternoon. The views are unusually clear and show, besides the cardinal, other well known clergy of this and other cities. The regular photo plays are up to the standard of the past.

The Brothers Byrne, famous for their production of the "Eight Bells," in "A Carriage Ride and Its Mishaps," are among the entertainers for the week, and their act is scoring one of the real hits of the season. "The Songfest," with Miss Anna McMahon, C. W. Bradley and Miss Monahan, is an added attraction. Jimmy Valentine, the diminutive comedian in new features, is sharing in the honors of the week, while the Merrimack Shadowgraph is new and novel.

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Amateurs this afternoon and evening at the Academy. Between "Bill" Looney with his funny sayings, "Bill" Gilmore at the piano, "Dan" Murphy, the stage manager and "Tom" Sullivan, the property man, the amateurs are going to be as funny as a mock initiation.

The Fannie Hatfield Stock company presents "The Outlaw," a western comedy dramatic playlet. "Scotch" Parrell, a performer who is originally

from Lowell, keeps the audience in good humor with his silly-act and his skill as a fire stick and baton manipulator. "The Bijou Comedy Trio," a marine act of song and comedy concludes the vaudeville.

Latest and best pictures including pictures of Cardinal O'Connell taken in Lowell Sunday.

### HATHAWAY THEATRE

An added and most enjoyable feature at the Hathaway theatre this week is the singing of Mr. Frank Harrington, now a member of the LeRoy stock company but formerly with the Denman Thompson "Old Homestead" double quartet. Mr. Harrington has a voice of great range and quality and he is a vocal pupil of the New England Conservatory of Music. "Sunset Trail," the western comedy-drama, is being finely presented by the LeRoy stock company this week and the popularity of the new company is fast growing. Mr. LeRoy appears in the part of a young Indian here, a role that calls for artistic work in its interpretation and Mr. LeRoy does the part full justice. Mr. Willard Price in the role of a lone Irish soldier of the frontier, holds up the comedy end of the play in excellent manner. The other members of the company are all cast in congenial roles and interpret them to excellent advantage. The play is finely staged. Next week the LeRoy company will appear in John Lawrence's great drama, "The Preacher and the Convict."

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## Miley-Kelman's Fifth Anniversary Sale

The fifth mile-stone of our business course has been reached, and we can hardly pass it by without suitable recognition, no matter what the cost may be. Our birthday celebration begins tomorrow, Thursday morning, and the ladies of Lowell and vicinity are invited.

The program is short, but forcible—Anniversary pricings hold good only Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 29, March 1st and 2nd.

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\$5.00 Redfern Whalebone Corsets, Model 61	\$2.50
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\$5.00 Silk Waists, navy, brown, gray	\$2.50
98c Tailored Waists, tucked fronts	50c
\$2.25 Waterproof Clifton Cloth Veils	\$1.15
\$1.50 Shelland Veils	75c
\$2.00 Kangaroo P. X. M. Gloves	\$1.00
\$3.50 16 Button White Kid Gloves	\$1.98
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Roosevelt announces that he will support the nominee of the convention. Yes he will if that nominee happens to be himself.

The New York police have done a splendid piece of work in finding the daylight robbers who got away with \$25,000 from two bank messengers a couple of weeks ago. The driver of the taxi was in the plot and he is one of the men who will have to answer for the crime.

Champ Clark recalls the fact that February 26 is the anniversary of the day on which Napoleon escaped from Elba and June 18 that of the battle of Waterloo. It was on the former date Roosevelt declared himself a candidate and on the latter will be held the republican national convention at which a good many wise politicians believe Roosevelt will meet his Waterloo.

## MR. HAYWOOD'S THREAT

Mr. William D. Haywood, who has been prominent in prolonging the trouble in Lawrence, has announced that he is coming to Lowell to inaugurate a mill strike. It would appear that Mr. Haywood is of the opinion that he has but to say the word and the mill operatives of Lowell will abandon their looms and their spinning frames to go out on a general strike. We are confident that Mr. Haywood will find the operatives of this city more intelligent than to follow any anarchistic leader whose chief aim is to cause trouble in the industrial centres of New England. The operatives of Lowell no doubt would like an increase in their wages. Under present conditions it is not reasonable that many of them should be dissatisfied, but if they consider the situation at Lawrence they will readily see that the very worst method of securing an increase would be to line up with a lot of anarchists who wish to start a disturbance that would necessitate the calling of the militia to protect life and property. Let the situation at Lawrence be a warning to the mill operatives of Lowell, not to do anything rashly. If they want an increase in wages let them confer with their employers in a business-like way and not put their case in the hands of men who go about the country denouncing the employers of labor as slave drivers and inciting the toiling masses to revolutionary outbreaks that must necessarily result in the defeat of those who engage in any such movement. The mill men of Lawrence absolutely refuse to surrender to Haywood, Ellor and the other revolutionists who have flocked there to start an industrial revolution.

## THE STRIKE SITUATION

The state legislature and even a committee of congress talk of investigating the Lawrence strike. The facts in the case have been pretty well shown up already and no mere investigation that cannot result in pacific action will have any effect. It is now well known that the operatives should have higher wages, it is also well known that the operators would grant a liberal increase but for the fear that if they did so now, the I. W. W. would exploit the fact as a victory and a pretext for their vindication and the extension of the strike to other cities and towns.

It is further known that hundreds of strikers are anxious to go back to work, but are afraid to do so because they have been threatened with death if they go back before the strike is declared off. It is difficult to see what good an investigating committee can do in face of these circumstances, especially when the committee cannot follow up the inquiry by bringing the parties in conflict together in some form of settlement.

The I. W. W. leaders are against a settlement; they are exploiting the strikers' children as destitute and sending them wherever they are likely to arouse the deepest sympathy. The falsity of the claim that all these children are destitute, or nearly so, was exposed the other day when women sent to the city hospital with their children were found to have large sums of money in their possession.

It is clear that there can be no settlement of the strike in Lawrence while the I. W. W. leaders remain there to incite the strikers and encourage them not to return to work. These leaders may eventually cause trouble that will result in bloodshed. In such cases it is not the strikers but innocent spectators who suffer.

## THREATENED COAL STRIKE IN ENGLAND

All England is on the eve of a great coal strike of national proportions. Already some of the men have quit work and in a day or two it is expected that 100,000 miners will be on strike unless the intervention of the government will succeed in averting the trouble. It is announced that Premier Asquith has been using his utmost endeavor to prevent the strike but the result of his efforts has not yet come to light. The action of the Premier and other government officials in trying to prevent a strike that would temporarily demoralize business is worthy the emulation of other governments in similar cases. The English coal miners are a hard lot to manage but they are not anarchists and their leaders are sensible men who do want to secure better conditions, not to precipitate a revolution. The British public is much alarmed over the threatened strike and its possible consequences. The government, that is the liberal ministry, dreads an upheaval of this kind because the police power would have to be used effectively and any exercise of severity in this respect might be resented by the laborites in parliament and thus the working majority of the party in parliament might be lost. Just at the present juncture, the liberals cannot afford to have any defection of this kind for a date has been set for the introduction of the Irish home rule bill some time in March. The unionists would be delighted to see the liberal program upset by any cause even if it were an earthquake—provided however that they escaped. Premier Asquith and Chancellor George have pulled their party through many difficult situations and it is hoped by their supporters that they will be able to avert this calamitous outbreak so as to be able to carry out this program as planned.

The miners demand a minimum wage, holding that under present conditions many of the men meet with snags that make it impossible for them to make a decent day's wages. The operators admit the justice of this claim and are disposed to grant it, but if they do not compromise, and if the strike occurs, the government may take control of the mines and run them under military control as the recent Paris strike was overcome.



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## SEEN AND HEARD

Good evening and then—Good night! Only 21 days more to spring, tra la. Keeping your denials straight?

A recent decision in favor of the city of St. Louis, Mo., and against the United Railways company in the mill-tax case, and involving more than \$2,000,000 has been given, upholding the city's right to collect one mill on each revenue passenger carried by the company.

Wouldn't it be fine if our shrunken revenue could be helped out in this manner? San Francisco is to have a municipal opera house costing \$750,000. The plan is for the municipality to own and control the opera house and we beg to remark that that's going some. It doesn't say what kind of shows will be presented there but the chances are it will be vaudeville with the city council for a headliner.

The city of North Yakima, Wash., is proud possessor of an official flower, the Grays and Reddies, a beautiful red blossom, brilliant in color and profuse of bloom. Wonder would it smell as sweetly or bloom as profusely if called by any other name?

There is no truth in the report that one of the commissioners had decided to chop \$1000 off his salary in order to assist in providing money for the department.

The world has very many lambs, whose owners' names are hid. And yet these lambs grow wool as white as Mary's ever did. Of course the same of Mary's lamb is not at all surprising. 'Twas brought about by out-and-out persistent advertising.

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JIM AND JACK When Jack lay dead, Jim never came to look at him or shed a tear. A wreath of roses bore his name. And Jim himself did not come near. "I'll like to 'member him," he said. "The way he was at fifty-five, And all the good things I can say I told him when he was alive."

"It ain't no use for me 'fco An' praise his good deeds far an' near. Let them do that as didn't show. They love for him when he was here. It ain't for me to stand around An' prate about his virtues good. What I can say I said to him. When he was here and understood. 'T wouldn't seem jec' right for me To stand a talking' by his bier. An' gaze on eyes that cannot see. An' speak the things he cannot hear. He understood afore he was dead. 'Tain't no use for me to say I'm happy in 'th' thought 'That I am here and his praise wuz said."

John Hedges, the New York lawyer, was called on to respond to a toast at a dinner of financiers. His predecessors had been backing away vigorously at the Sherman-Morgan law. J. Pierpont Morgan had chuckled audibly when Clarence M. Dwyer attacked that bit of legislation and that had encouraged the other speakers to tread in Dwyer's aristocratic footsteps. "Some of these who comment on the Sherman law," said Hedges, "made me think of Tom Collins. Tom planned a convivial evening with some friends.

Being a prudent and foreseeing man, he determined to make certain that he would get home safely. As the streets of the village in which he lived were not lighted after 11 o'clock, he took a lantern when he left home. Long after midnight he had his friends good-bye, and started on his homeward way, and trudge, lantern in hand. Next morning he was surprised to receive a note from his host of the evening before. "Dear Tom," it read. "The boys will give you your lantern. Please return by hearsers my parrot and cage."

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Boston Herald: The Hoosac tunnel disaster has been so serious as to call for a searching investigation by the railroad commission. Few people at this end of the state realize the extent of the interruptions to traffic. Last bound passenger trains have been sent from North Adams and to Pittsfield and then over the Boston & Albany to Springfield, and up the river to Greenfield. Freight have been sent around by the northern route through Belvidere. The intense heat has brought down so much of the wall of the tunnel as to call for extensive repairs, while the accident itself suggests a revision of the system of operation so as to prevent any possibility of recurrence.

CANADA'S PURE FOOD LAW Boston Transcript. Canada, which has a pure food and drugs act of its own, has also, like ourselves, a patent medicine problem, and one of astounding dimensions, since it is estimated at Ottawa that 60,000 such preparations

are marketed in the Dominion. Under existing legislation it is alleged that many medicines we could exclude are sold in the neighboring country, and that not more than one-fifth of the whole number are registered with the government, though registration costs only \$1. This condition of things has been getting on the nerves of the minister of inland revenue, and he proposes to strengthen the law and then to enforce it. The meritorious preparations will find no obstacles put in their way, but the worthless and dangerous compounds will be handicapped to an extent which is not now possible. We tender our felicitations on this wise decision. It will not be difficult to carry out. On general principles it is safe to proceed against any preparation that tends to establish a drug addiction that wears the earmarks of a cure-all.

JUDGE PITNEY'S STATEMENT Nashville Democrat: Judge Pitney, whose nomination has aroused the opposition of labor leaders, says that he is not an enemy of labor, that one of his decisions against which they protest was made by his father, and he protests against the misstatement. He says that the public has of "taking a local decision based upon a peculiar or individual set of facts and giving it a general sweeping application, neither intended nor applied."

THE CASE OF GRANT Boston Post: Theodore Roosevelt is quoted as saying in Boston yesterday that "of course" he meant a third consecutive term in his famous declaration of Nov. 3, 1904. And further that "it must be clear to any reasonable man that the precedent which forbids a third term has reference solely to a third consecutive term."

But he did not use the word "consecutive" in 1904. It was his habit to say what he meant in those days, and, had that been in his mind, it would have come out. He is also very much in error when he declares that the precedent has referred solely to a third consecutive term. General Grant served for a third term four years after he had left the White House and he was denied it. Can the Roosevelt boomers claim that the precedent was not invoked and strengthened in Grant's case?

It is perfectly clear to any reasonable man that the third term sentiment means exactly what Roosevelt said it did in 1904.

PEOPLE OF NOTE Professor Engelbert Humperdinck, the eminent musical composer, whose ill health in January caused much anxiety on his part, is now improving. He is able to walk about in his house, in Berlin, supported by his wife. One hand, however, is still paralyzed. According to present plans he will make a trip to the south in the spring, in order to complete his restoration to health.

Lady Ashburton, an English titled lady, who was a New Yorker before her marriage, recently had the pretty fancy of causing 3,000 noises to be trapped on her husband's English estate and having their skins made into coats and muffs for her three American sisters.

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The reception at this ancient form of reception is called, was conducted by the department of ceremonies of the foreign office, and the conventional number of invitations, 3500, were issued exclusively to those entitled to admission to the court.

Those present included all the members of the cabinet, with the exception of M. Timoshoff, minister of commerce, the suites of the emperor and empress, the grand duke and grand duchesses, and the entire diplomatic corps, with the exception of the British ambassador, that embassy being in mourning on account of the death of the Duke of Fife.

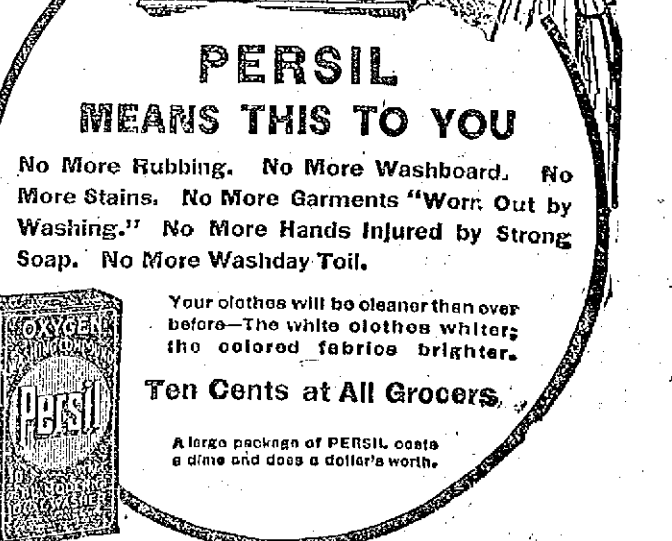
Count White, the ex-premier, was among the first arrivals, wearing the medals presented to him by the Slav societies of America on the conclusion of the treaty of Portsmouth. The embassy staff consisted of Alexander Benzon and Frederick A. Sterling, second and third secretaries, respectively.

Commander Henry P. Hough, naval attaché, and Capt. Nathan K. Averill, military attaché.

Ambassador Guild was attended by Chamberlain De Giers while Mrs. Guild and Mrs. Hough were attended by Baron Ramsay and Prince Cantacuzene.

Mrs. Guild wore white satin with fur trimmings, with an overdress of chiffon, and Mrs. Hough wore pale blue satin, with duchesse lace.

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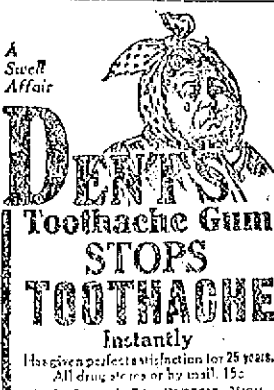
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## THE T. &amp; S. LEAGUE

## Great Interest in Contest for Trophy

The Tremont & Suffolk league is progressing rapidly and the closing of the season brings to light a close and interesting fight for the trophy donated by His Honor, Mayor O'Donnell. The Hosley team is leading the Dress Room by one point and the Cloth Room by four. This week's games will make a change in the standing for a clean victory for either team means a great deal. The league includes some fast men and a close fight for the individual average is on. Wm. McDermott is leading at the present time with just 15 pins on Howard Haffkeny who is considered one of the best in the league. Patrick Farrell is third, just 15 pins behind the leader.

The league standing is as follows:

Won	Lost	P.P.
Hosley .....	26	12,801
Dress Room .....	25	12,985
Cloth Room .....	23	12,964
Foremen .....	7	12,504

The highest team totals at the present time shows the Cloth Room with 1274 and the Dress Room with 1322. Highest team single, Cloth Room 478; Hosley 473. Highest three string totals: Patrick Farrell, Cloth Room, 30; Wm. McDermott, Hosley, 30; Joseph Michaud, Hosley, 30. Highest single string totals: Wm. McDermott, Hosley, 130; E. Lebourdais, Dress Room, 115; J. Michaud, Hosley, 114; E. O'Brien, Foreman, 114.

Individual averages of the men in the league with the numbers of strings rolled are as follows:

Strings	Ave.
McDermott, Hosley .....	30
Haffkeny, Dress Room .....	30
P. Farrell, Cloth Room .....	30
Lebourdais, Dress Room .....	30
C. Farrell, Cloth Room .....	30
J. Michaud, Hosley .....	30
Mason, Dress Room .....	30
McGuirk, Cloth Room .....	30
French, Foreman .....	30
O'Brien, Foreman .....	30
Manning, Cloth Room .....	30
Stack, Cloth Room .....	30
Swigg, Foreman .....	30
Redman, Foreman .....	30
Swift, Dress Room .....	30

## THE NOCHEN LEAGUE

The Nochen bowling league which is composed of North Chelmsford men who roll on the local alleys is proving very interesting and many good scores are being put up by the boys from the town.

The standing of the league is as follows:

Won	Lost	T.P.P.
Cads .....	9	3,567
Arts .....	6	3,765
Fids .....	7	3,766
Unks .....	1	3,773

The individual standing is as follows:

Strings	P.C.
Pope, Dids .....	9
Gracelin, Cads .....	9
O'Connell, Arts .....	9
Hoyte, Arts .....	9
McLaffie, Dids .....	9
D. Kinch, Cads .....	9
Hozzel, Cads .....	9
Serry, Unks .....	9
F. Kinch, Cads .....	9
McDonner, Dids .....	9
C. Lewis, Unks .....	9
Whitehead, Unks .....	9

Livingston, Arts .....	9	82.1
Haffley, Dids .....	9	82.6
Curry, Arts .....	9	82.0
Handy, Unks .....	9	81.8
Haldenorth, Arts .....	9	81.7
Gagan, Cads .....	9	81.3
Gagnon, Cads .....	9	79.8
Rousseau, Arts .....	9	79.5
Buttery, Dids .....	9	79.6
Bullinger, Dids .....	6	62.0

## HARVARD CLUB DINNER

The 13th annual dinner of the Lowell Harvard club was held Monday night at the Yvick club. There were 34 members of the organization and eight guests present, the latter being Prof. J. D. M. Ford of the faculty, Dr. E. H. Nichols of the athletic committee, Mr. Sidney Curtis of the Harvard Alumni association and Mr. Balch, a member of the Varsity crew, together with a quartet from the Glee club. Rev. Chas. T. Billings '84, president; Hon. Frederick Lawton '74, vice-president; James P. Preston '83, treasurer; George H. Spalding '96, secretary; Arthur Gage '79, James J. Kervin '95, and R. Brabrook Walsh '03, directors.

During the evening a straw ballot was taken in order to show the choice of the club for the presidential nominee of the republican party. Twenty votes were cast for Taft and eight for Roosevelt.

At the business meeting, which preceded the meeting, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. Chas. T. Billings '84, president; Hon. Frederick Lawton '74, vice-president; James P. Preston '83, treasurer; George H. Spalding '96, secretary; Arthur Gage '79, James J. Kervin '95, and R. Brabrook Walsh '03, directors.

## ENGLISH HIGH TEAM

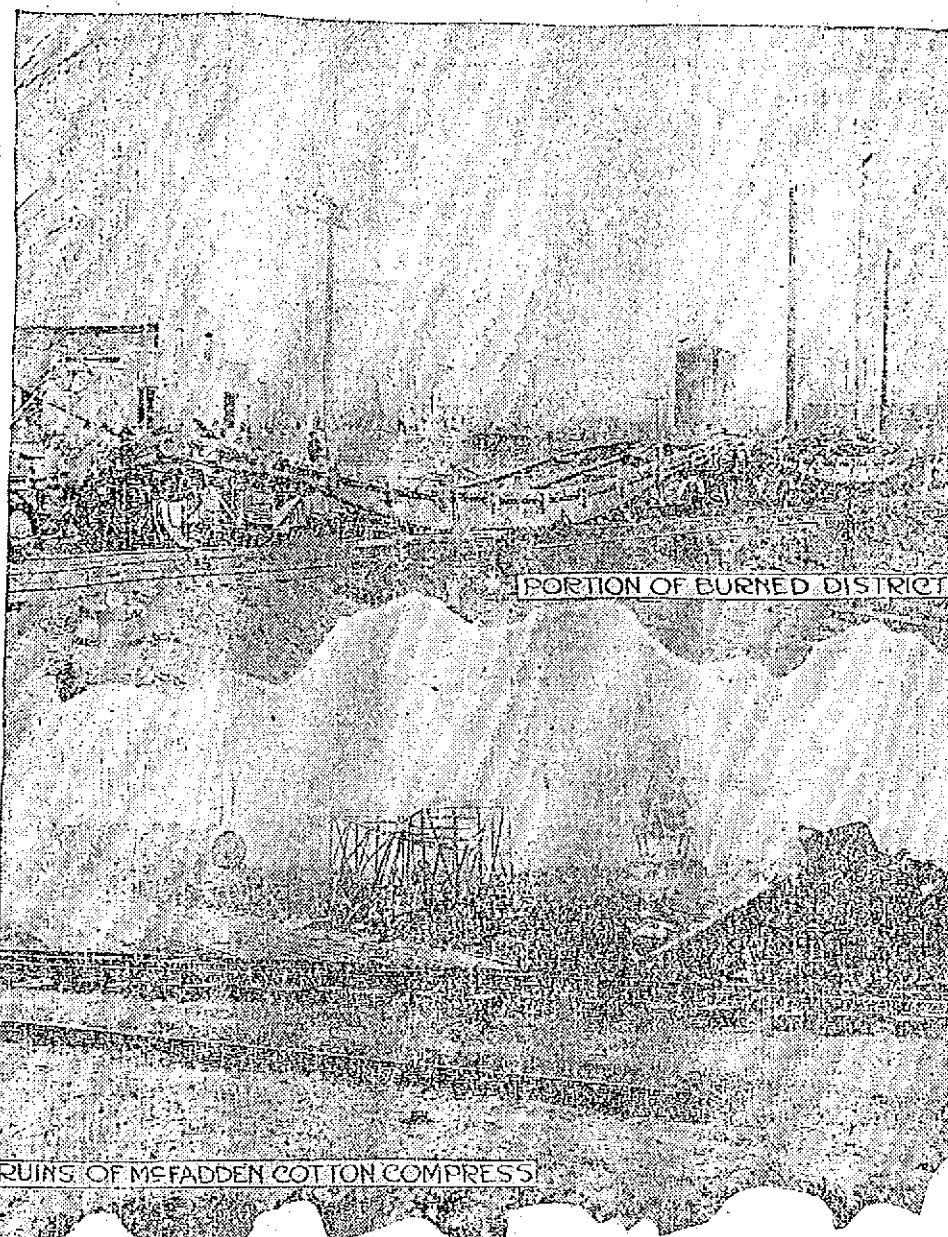
## Meets the Lowell Track Team Saturday

The members of the High school track team are training hard for their meet with the English high school team of Boston, which will take place at the local annex on Saturday evening. The English high team is considered one of the fastest track teams in the state and as they won from the Lowell boys last year the locals are out for revenge. The Lowell team is in the best of condition at present and is confident of turning the tables on the fast Boston team.

The Lowell team will practice every day for the remainder of the week under the able direction of Coach Coburn. Bowers is working hard for the meet and expects to give a good account of himself in all the events in which he appears. Woodward, the clever long distance runner who was such a great factor in the first meet of the Lowell team, is also prepared to put up a stiff battle. Capt. Leggat is getting into condition gradually and is confident that his team will surprise the Boston boys.

In the line-up of the English High team some familiar faces will be seen. Howe, the colored boy who is one of the fastest athletes in schoolboy circles, comes here after making 20 points alone in three meets held recently in Boston. His strong points are the dash, 600, shot put and high jump, besides running on the relay team. H. Sorsky is a good second to Howe in the dash and Cannavin is a runner of great repute. In a meet recently held Cannavin is credited with 4.61 for the mile which was a lot faster than it has ever been done in Lowell. Randolph is another good distance man and that will make trouble for the Lowell boys.

## CITIZENS OF HOUSTON, TEX., BEGIN WORK OF REBUILDING DEVASTATED SECTION



HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 28.—Hardly 1000, and more than 1000 persons were left homeless. They were sheltered temporarily by those who had not suffered. The burned section is a mile and a half long, and it varies in width from 200 feet to half a mile. The fire started about 1 a. m., while a fierce gale was blowing, and this wind hampered the work of the firemen. The insurance will cover about half the loss. There were 50,000 bales of cotton in the McFadden compress. It was at first thought that this would be a total loss, but it was found later that much of the cotton could be saved.

## FOUR GOOD MATCHES

## For Meeting of Lowell Athletic Club

Young Doyle, of this city who will appear in the main bout at the Lowell Social and Athletic club on Friday evening is training hard for the match. He realizes that he is up against a real fighter in Jasper, and is carefully getting into condition for the scrap. He appeared at the club at last week's meeting and won the claim to the lightweight championship of the city by winning from Young Stone. He gave a clever exhibition and showed remarkable improvement over his former matches. Young Jasper needs no introduction to the members as his last bout with Boyle here will be recalled as one of the fastest ever seen here. In that match he put his Lowell boy to the sheds in two rounds. He feels confident of repeating. In the semi final Young Walsh will clash with Spider Murphy of Boston. This match is attracting much attention as both men are among the leaders of their class. Walsh is setting a great pace and though he has appeared in many contests he has yet to meet defeat. Murphy comes here with a great list of wins to the good and is confident of putting a light on the Lowell boy's career. Gardner Brooks, one of the most promising young boxers in the city will show his remarkable cleverness against Joe Sears of Lawrence. The latter is well known here as he put up a stiff bout against Young Walsh at the club a few weeks ago. The opening bout will be between Tommy Doyle and Young Hamilton, both of this city who are great rivals and both confident of winning the decision. The meeting will be held in Matthews hall and will start at 8.15 o'clock. Billy Gardner will call to order.

## BASEBALL NOTES

The Cleveland club is reported as having secured Ken Nash, the famous shortstop of the Brown university baseball team, whom Connie Mack was angling for.

Since 1900 President Comiskey of the White Sox has employed 29 pitchers and has spent many thousands of dollars.

After the first day of the league meeting the Kansas City club, of the American association purchased outfielder "Doc" Gessler from the Washington club, and announced the release of Catcher Frank Dowerman and Outfielder "Spike" Shannon.

The busiest manager on the scene during the American League meeting was Harry Davis, who has taken the job of handling the Naps. He and President Somers cornered Jimmy Callahan, and it was supposed he was trying to swap Stovall for Zelder. Callahan declined to accept anything offered.

Curious the changes which take place in a player's ability during the winter. First Baseman Danzig, of the Pacific Coast League, was good enough for the St. Louis Browns to contract him; yet now he has been sold to Chattanooga, which is in a class below the Pacific coast organization.

Kenneth Nash, of Weymouth, Mass., the Brown University shortstop and baseball captain, has signed to play with the Cleveland team, and will join the Naps after college closes in June.

Alex Rameaux, who pitched for the Helens team, of the Union Association, last season, announced last week that he had signed a contract with Detroit.

## FAIRMOUNTS WON

## Defeated Alpines in City League Series

The local bowling alleys were well patronized last night and many good games were rolled.

The game on the Crescent alleys between the Fairmounts and the Alpines in the City league series resulted in a victory for the former team which took all the points. Whalen of the Fairmounts continued his great rolling and was again high man with a total of 269.

Two games were rolled on the Crescent alleys in the Baraca league series. The First Baptist team took three points from the Highland M. E. quintet and the Calvary Baptist five took all the points from the St. Paul's.

In the game between the Eldoras and the Fairmounts the former won everything. Beauregard was high man with a total of 269.

Two teams from the old Concord league held a reunion on Les Miserables alleys last night and the Much team received a beaten from The Two Much boys who took two strings and the total.

A new league was opened on the Brunswick alleys last night and the Montauks took three points from the Warrens. Callahan was high man with a single of 134 and a total of 314.

The scores:

Fairmounts	1	2	3	Tot
Smith .....	82	99	92	273
Flelding .....	95	102	84	281
Lebrun .....	96	104	91	291
Whalen .....	101	85	105	291
Coleman .....	84	113	91	288

Totals .....

Alpines

Alpines	1	2	3	Tot
Flanders .....	91	90	94	275
Marren .....	85	119	90	294
Slattery .....	83	85	89	257
Dunham .....	102	90	82	274
J. E. Donohoe .....	93	103	97	293

Totals .....

First Baptist

First Baptist	1	2	3	Tot
Johnson .....	82	91	88	261
Woodman .....	103	81	86	270
Laycock .....	77	91	86	254
Chapman .....	104	118	90	312
Bowen .....	100	114	85	299

Totals .....

Highland M. E.

Highland M. E.	1	2	3	Tot
Haithwaite .....	79	80	110	269
Harrison .....	90	84	75	249
G. Haithwaite .....	85	93	75	253
Maguire .....	103	105	89	297
Leach .....	93	112	103	308

Totals .....

St. Paul's

St. Paul's	1	2	3	Tot
Gray .....	88	91	88	267
R. Richardson .....	87	83	76	246
Burne .....	97	81	63	241
Buritt .....	79	80	85	244
J. Richardson .....	83	88	98	269

Totals .....

Calvary Baptist

Calvary Baptist	1	2	3	Tot
Phinney .....	71	80	95	246
Dyer .....	88	92	93	273
Perrin .....	85	77	93	255
Stephens .....	92	90	79	261
Kennedy .....	110	89	95	294

Totals .....

Eldoras

Eldoras	1	2	3	Tot
Grant .....	81	92	88	261
Taylor .....	80	82	101	263
Sub .....	64	70	64	198

Totals .....

McCombs .....	62	78	83	223
L. Beauregard .....	95	84	90	269

Totals .....

Eaters

Eaters	1	2	3	Tot
Devine .....	72	84	82	238
Proctor .....	75	77	78	230
Roberts .....	83	80	81	244
Parkhurst .....	82	83	85	250
Harrington .....	78	97	84	259

Totals .....

Too Much

Too Much	1	2	3	Tot
Kelly .....	83	71	73	227
Giblin .....	87	99	87	273
Highland .....	80	87	74	241
Cryan .....	55	69	55	179
Hammersley .....	82	84	79	245
Gorman .....	89	73	79	241

Totals .....

Much

Much	1	2	3	Tot
King .....	78	80	75	233
Mack .....	78	81	82	241
Quinlan .....	74	83	75	232
Hogers .....	90	89	88	267
Finlay .....	73	80	73	226
Tracey .....	65	44	81	190

Totals .....

Montauks

Montauks	1	2	3	Tot
Quinn .....	81	90	95	266
Callahan .....	124	87	93	304
Corbett .....	100	86	94	280
Corden .....	85	85	82	252
Mulligan .....	94	92	90	276

Totals .....

Warrens

Warrens	1	2	3	Tot
Morris .....	95	80	75	250
Hulme .....	106	90	89	285
Devine .....	83	99	92	274
Preston .....	96	83	83	262
McAleer .....	92	83	82	257

Totals .....

THE RESOLUTIONS

## Adopted by St. Patrick's Day Convention

## SENT TO WASHINGTON MONDAY NIGHT

## Committee Holds Meeting and Later Mails Copies to Senators Crane and Lodge, Speaker Clark and Congressman Butler Ames

The committee on resolutions appointed by the St. Patrick's day convention, to draw up resolutions protesting against the observance of "One Hundred Years of Peace with England," a measure relative to which has been introduced in congress, held an interesting meeting Monday night in the committee room at A. O. H. hall and the secretary of the convention had type-written copies of the resolutions which he submitted for the approval of the members. The committee was highly pleased with the work of the secretary and also the letter which he had prepared, to be sent in connection with the resolutions to Senators Lodge and Crane, Speaker Clark and Congressman Butler Ames. The committee on resolutions is Messrs. James Cryan, Daniel J. Murphy, Patrick Fitzgerald, Joseph Fahy and Michael J. Murkham and they all spoke interestingly of the proposed measure and other matters.

The resolutions were mailed to the senators and congressmen above named, and it is expected that a vote on the matter will be taken on March 5th.



Every time I come to town, The boys keep a-kickin' my dog aroun'.

Makes no difference if he IS a houn'-They gotta quit kickin' my dog aroun'.

THEY GOTTA QUIT KICKIN' MY DAWG AROUN' IS OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC DITTY

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28.—At last Missouri has a state song. It was not written in response to the offer of a \$500 prize for an anthem that would fittingly extol the glories of the state. No, indeed! This song has been hummed or groned or whined in the Ozark mountains for years, but it never left that hilly region until a few weeks ago. Then it caught on, and its fame is now nation wide. Governor Wilson of New Jersey listened to it on a recent visit to St. Louis and then decided that Champ Clark, Missouri's favorite son, was welcome to the song as a campaign document. The song was given a further boost at the democratic convention at Joplin, where the words and music were distributed.

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that it might be well to have one day of the common people may go out to the woods and hunt."

Mr. Wolcott of Milton offered an amendment to have the season open Oct. 12 and close Nov. 7. This amendment was adopted, 67 to 25 and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

At the request of Mr. Underhill of Cambridge, the committee was authorized to regulate the number of persons for quorum at town meetings, was considered as not having been acted upon and was then ordered to a third reading.

The committee on Metropolitan affairs reported a bill requiring the city of Boston to call for \$500,000 during the year 1913 and the same amount in the four years following, to be borrowed within the debt limit, for the purpose of separating sewage from city water in the watersheds of the headwaters of the Charles river basin.

**Senator Barlow's Bill Beaten**

Without discussion or debate the senate yesterday accepted the adverse committee report on the petition for legislation relating to the Boston Museum of Art in an appropriation of \$50,000.

After the vote the decision of the senate, by a vote of 11 to 11, passed to substitute for an adverse report Senator Barlow's bill providing that certain



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## THE LOCAL ELKS

Visited by District Deputy  
O'Brien

Last evening the local lodge of Elks was honored by an official visit of District Deputy Edward E. O'Brien and suite. In arranging for this big affair the local lodge made elaborate plans and the exercises were conducted in a most successful and enjoyable manner.

District Deputy O'Brien, who is judge of the eastern district of Lynn, is a member of Salem lodge, No. 799. He is a man of wide fraternal experience and along with being an honored and respected member of the Elks is supreme treasurer of the Foresters of America. The visit of the district deputy is considered the biggest event of the year in Elksdom and the officers always provide a royal welcome for him.

Judge O'Brien was accompanied by his entire suite, the latter being at-



MICHAEL J. MARKHAM,  
Exalted Ruler.

members expect to have a home of their own in the near future. As is the custom in the Elks all the lodges are the owners of the headquarters, which are known as homes. At the present time there are 500 in the United States which are valued at \$10,000,000. One of these homes is located in New York city and it is one of the finest structures in the country. It is 14 stories and alone will, the numerous rooms that are used for lodge purposes there are 250 sleeping rooms, completely furnished and supplied with individual baths. A first class restaurant is also located there and members of the Elks from all over the United States make their headquarters there when in the metropolis.

There is great interest in the election of the officers of the local lodge which will be held at the first meeting of the lodge next month. The annual convention of the Elks will be held at Portland, Oregon, this year during the month of July.

In the annual convention of the Elks in Portland, Oregon, the grand exalted John P. Sullivan of New Orleans will be chosen and there is great interest in the outcome. This is the highest honor that can be conferred upon a member and it is the ambition of all to receive the honor. The present incumbent is John P. Sullivan of New Orleans and he has charge of appointing the district deputies.

In illustrating the high esteem in which this office is held, John H. Cull, the secretary of the Lowell lodge, said that two years ago Garry Herrman, president of the Cincinnati baseball team, who was aspiring to the honor, engaged a special train of 14 Pullman cars to run from Cincinnati to San Francisco. He paid the expenses of the train, the members who rode and also had a large brass band to furnish music.

The present officers of the Lowell lodge are: exalted ruler, Michael J. Markham; esteemed leader, Knight, William D. Regan; esteemed loyal knight, William W. Murphy; esteemed lecturing knight, George W. Bissonette; secretary, John H. Cull; treasurer, Charles H. Molloy; Tyler, John J. Parker; trustees, Thomas A. Golden, Cornelius E. Collins and James T. Doyle; Esquire, John H. Farrell; chaplain, Daniel W. Shanahan; inner guard, John W. McIlroy; organist, Dr. Thomas P. Carroll; lodge physician, Dr. Frank A. O'Sullivan; finance committee, James J. Redmond, Samuel Scott and William S. Eaton. These are assisted by several sub-committees.

## MR. O'CALLAGHAN

GOES TO LONDON TO REPORT  
HOME RULE DEBATES

Mr. John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish league, sailed yesterday on the Ivernia for Ireland. He took with him the two youngest of his four children. He goes to represent the Boston Globe during the home rule debates in the British parliament. He was tendered a banquet at the Lennox hotel Monday evening by a number of his friends.

Quite a gathering of his intimate friends assembled at the wharf yesterday to bid him good-by. Mr. O'Callaghan's accounts of the parliamentary debates will be illuminating as no man on either side of the Atlantic understands the Irish question in all its aspects better than Mr. O'Callaghan.

Among those who were at the pier to bid him farewell were Michael J. Jordan, Rev. Mr. Denis O'Callaghan, Rev. P. J. Lyons, Rev. Dennis Sullivan, P. B. Fitzpatrick, Dr. P. J. Timmins, James E. Cotter, Dr. H. V. McLaughlin, Dr. T. J. Dillon, Michael Maynes, John Howlett, John Woods, P. H. Costello, Col. R. P. Scannell, M. W. Fitzsimmons, Lawrence McGovern, Arthur O'Keefe, Thomas Sproules, Dennis O'Reilly, Michael Morrison, J. J. Bergin, Hugh Osborne, James J. Lynch, Mayor Patrick J. Duane of Wallham, James T. Barrett, William P. Kenney, Patrick F. Ford, Lieut. Egan, Daniel Sullivan, Patrick O'Callaghan and Inspector Michael J. O'Connell.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## LAWRENCE STRIKE

Continued

## THE SOCIALISTS

MAKE AN APPEAL TO PRESIDENT TAFT

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—John Work, secretary, has sent a telegram from the national headquarters of the socialist party here to President Taft and similar messages to Governor Foss of Massachusetts and Mayor Scullen of

Lowell. The telegram in part follows: "The socialist party of America, as the political expression of the working class, by action of its national executive committee demands that you use the power invested in you as the chief executive of the United States, to protect workmen, women and children of Lawrence, Mass., from the violence of lawless officials. It is monstrous to wreck vengeance upon helpless children. We protest against it."

Governor Foss and Adjutant General Pearson are being made familiar with the situation by Col. Elroy Sweetser



WOMEN UNDER ARREST  
IN LAWRENCE

in command of the troops at Lawrence. Col. Sweetser returned to Lawrence today after a long conference with the governor.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

TAME—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Tame will take place Thursday morning from her late home, No. 1 Pollard avenue. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

## STATE MILITIA

NOT TO BE WITHDRAWN FROM  
LAWRENCE YET

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—A widely circu-

lated report that the troops were about to be withdrawn from Lawrence did not find substantiation at the state house today, except that the admission was made that the policy of a gradual reduction of the force of militiamen on duty would probably be pursued. No date has been set for the withdrawal of the last soldier but at present there are only ten companies of militia on duty at Lawrence, as compared with 24 companies on duty three weeks ago.

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## Round Neck Gowns

Tucked yoke, ribbon tied, short sleeve. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Regular \$1 to ..... 59c

## Round Neck Gowns

Yoke of lace insertion and medallions. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Regular \$1.10 to ..... 59c

## 1 Lot Assorted Gowns

In odd sizes and various trimmings. FINE \$2.00 GOWNS to ..... \$1.25

## SKIRTS

## Short Skirts

Hemstitched tucked flounce. EXTRA FIRM CLOTH. Marked to ..... 39c

## Short Skirt

Tucked embroidery flounce. EXTRA FINE CLOTH. Regular \$1.00. Marked to ..... 59c

## Combination Corset Cover and Drawers

Lace insertion and lace edge. GOOD CLOTH. Regular \$1.00 quality. Marked to ..... 69c

## Princess Drawers and Corset Cover

Trimmed with lace and embroidery. GOOD FINE CLOTH. Regular \$2 quality. Marked to ..... \$1.25

## Combination Corset Cover and Skirt Drawers

Ribbon draw-strings, lace trimmed. EXTRA FINE CLOTH. Were \$2.00, now ..... \$1.49

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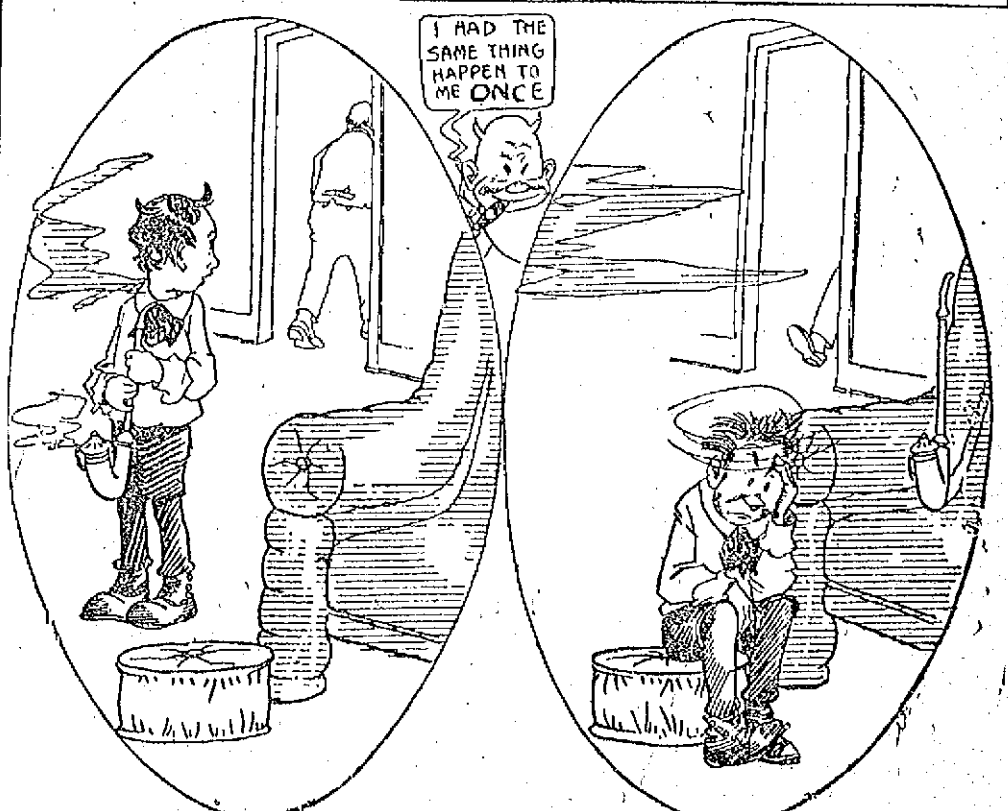
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1 Special Lot THOMPSON GLOVE FITTING, EMBROIDERY TOP, LONG SKIRTS, 6 hose supporters, sizes 18 to 26. Regular \$3.00 value for ..... \$1.69

## LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



ANTICIPATION

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## Rather Than Have Our Stock Suffer, We Will Almost Give Away Our Garments

## WINTER COATS

127 Winter Suits

AT  
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About 60 coats—every coat at about 1-3 regular price. The carpenters have possession of the store. You reap the gain.

## WINTER SUITS

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Suits—Many new ones in the lot—Serges and Mixtures. Be one of those lucky buyers; all sizes.

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ALL WOOL SERGE NEW SPRING LINGERIE ODD DRESSES AND COSTUMES—100 DRESSES IN THE LOT—THAT SOLD TO \$20.00, AT ..... \$5.00

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ABOUT 75 DOZEN WAISTS IN  
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\$1.50 and \$2.00  
Pure Linen and  
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WE ARE OFFERING ALL NEW SPRING GARMENTS IN STOCK AT BIG DISCOUNTS WHILE ALTERATIONS ARE GOING ON

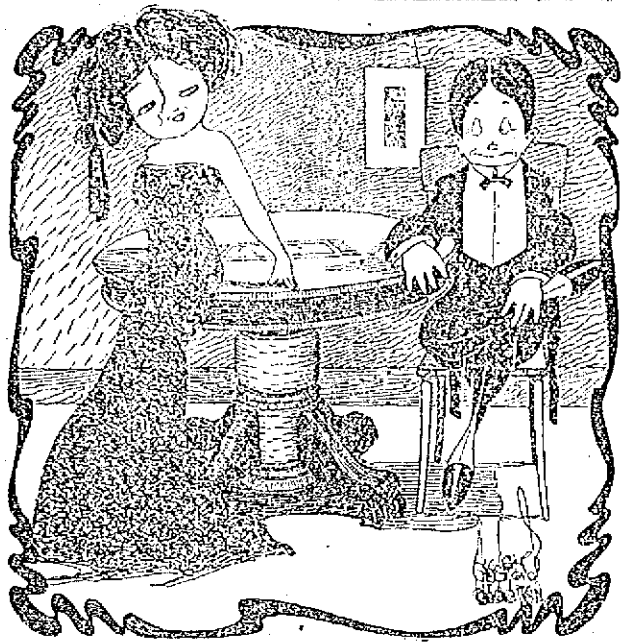
TABLES OF SKIRTS at \$1.90, \$2.90, \$3.90  
Worth \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00

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## A PAGE OF FUN



PREPARING HIM.

Evelyn—Did you see the new moon over your left shoulder?  
George—Yes.  
Evelyn—Then, of course, you must expect bad luck.  
George—What do you mean?  
Evelyn—Why, when you ask me to marry you, as you mean to do very soon, I will say "no."

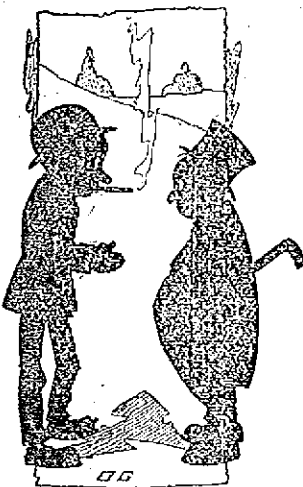


AS PA SEES IT.

"Say, pa, what is vulgar ostentation?"  
"Vulgar ostentation, my son, is the display, made by people who have more money to make it with than we have."

## The Spring Poet.

The poet sees old winter skipping  
And spring come down the landscape  
tripping  
And blithely pass,  
A merry lass,  
Just like a colt turned out to grass;  
He sees her, most divinely fair,  
Come floating in without a care,  
Serenely grand;  
So, pen in hand,  
He grabs a sheet of paper, and  
He don't do a thing to spring, sweet  
Sweet spring—  
He don't do a thing to spring.  
He notes the hillsides fairly blushing,  
The brooklets to the river rushing,  
The sun's warm flood,  
The tender bud,  
But oh, he never sees the mud!  
The while the merry farmer's boy  
Jumps all of seven feet high for joy;  
On every hand  
The leaves expand,  
And so he grasps his pencil, and  
He don't do a thing to spring,  
Sweet spring—  
He don't do a thing to spring.



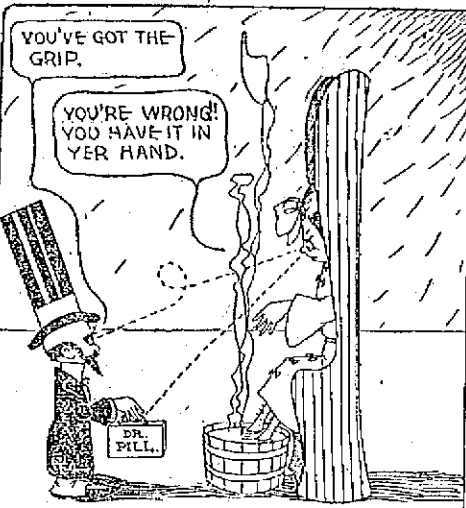
THE SPRING CROP.

"What's fresh in spring hats?"  
"Well, the milliners have invented two or three new vegetables, I believe."



THEN THEY MOVED.

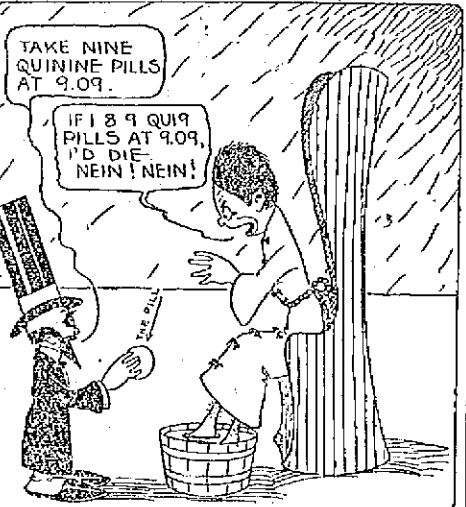
Mr. Browne—What do you want to move for? We've everything modern here.  
Mrs. Browne—But, Howard, over there they have a bathroom for the canary.



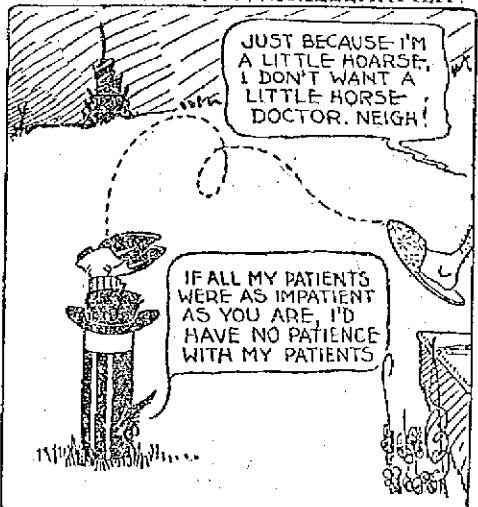
OLD DR. PILL WAS QUITE A DOC.  
HE'D WALK RIGHT IN AND NEVER NO  
AN ALL WIND ONE MARCH DAY DID BLOW  
AND MADE ME ILL AND BLUE YOU KNOW.



WELL, I'D MADE UP MY MIND THAT I  
MUST TAKE SOME MEDICINE—OR DIE,  
AND AS I DIDN'T WANT THE LATTER,  
I SAID TO DOC "DOC, WHAZZEMATTER?"



WHAT DO YOU THINK THAT DOCTOR DID?  
HE SHIFTED HIS TOBACCO QUID,  
AND SAID "COUGH UP A DOLLAR BILL,  
AND I'LL GIVE YOU A QUININE PILL."



MY COFFERS WERE EMPTY, SAID HE "THAT'S GALL,  
IF YOU ARE BROKE, TO HAVE ME CALL."  
"BUT I'LL RETURN YOUR CALL," SAID I,  
"WHEN I AM BETTER—BYE AND BYE."

## A Few "Whys."

WHY does the young man plow his way through the deep snow?  
"Why does he jump fences?"  
"Why does he seize the bucksaw and saw a half-cord of wood?"  
"Why does he love to clean a thousand feet of sidewalk after a blizzard?"  
"Why does he run a mile or more and back?"  
"Why does he pick up grindstones and hurl them about?"  
"Why does he encourage the youth of the land to peg at him with bricks?"  
"Why does he turn from the foamy mug and say 'It's water for him'?"  
"Why has he ceased to go courting 'nights?"  
"Why does he turn from the jolly doughnut and the festive fried oyster and pass his bowl for more oatmeal?"  
Nothing at all mysterious about it.

He has simply begun his training for the spring season of baseball. That's all.  
THE FAMILY ROGUES GALLERY.  
"You know Mrs. Van Gilder's family portrait gallery that she started last year?"  
"Yes."  
"Well, that great criminal detective officer who guarded the wedding presents when Frostie Van Gilder married the oldest De Graft boy, told me that he recognized seven of the portraits, and they had all done time whatever that means."

LUCKY PUBLIC!  
Put many a verse,  
Of purest ray serene,  
Is written for the public,  
But is never seen.

## OTHER HELLS.

Satan—I don't like this talk about war being hell.  
Imp—Why not?  
Satan—It gives people the idea that we haven't a monopoly.

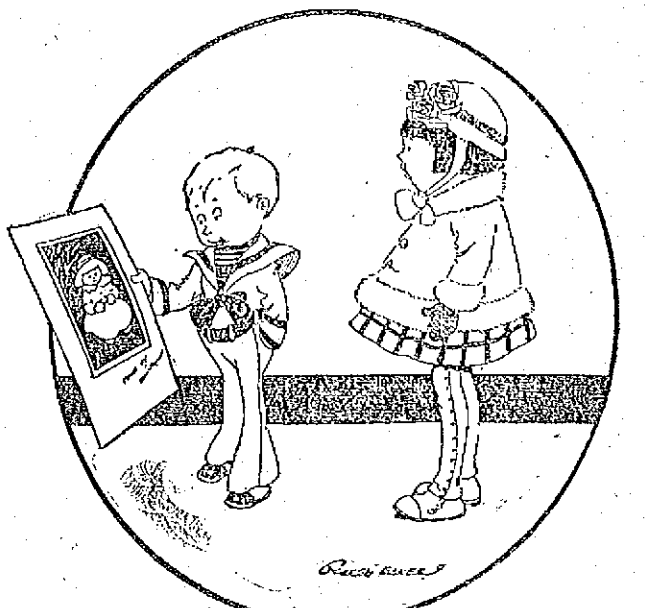
## Probably a Mistake.

GENTLEMEN, what can we say of the moral conditions in this country when a gang of men held up and rob a New York newspaper in broad daylight?" asked the sad-faced man.  
"Such a thing happened, did it?" was asked.  
"Of course it happened. Didn't you read of it?"  
"I believe I did, but I passed it along as a mistake on the part of the robbers."  
"Mistake—how? When a man with a gun goes in to hold up a place how can there be any mistake about it?"  
"Why, in this instance, if I remember right, they thought they were in the quick-lunch shop next door. It's a good case for a plea of insanity, if they really planned to rob the newspaper."



NO SUCH THING.

The Sophomore—"I wish you'd explain this line: 'They kept the noiseless tenor of their way.' What is meant by 'noiseless tenor'?"  
Prof. Grouchemore, the Music Hater—"A noiseless tenor is a fatuous dream."



Bobby—Yep! It's me, all right, but it was taken when I was a girl.

## By Analysis.

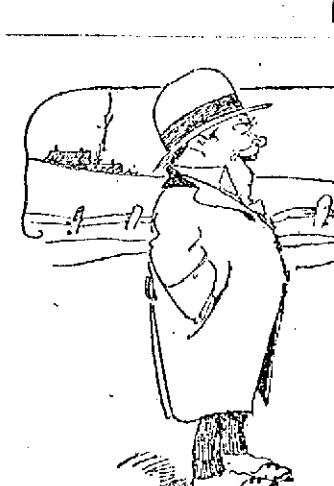
I SEE you are reading one of Sherlock Holmes' books," he said to the man sitting opposite in the Pullman.  
"Yes, sir."  
"Great detective writer!"  
"Yes."



ONE DRAWBACK.

Reed—Don't you ever have a longing to go fishing?  
Nodd—Yes; I've had a longin' to go fishin' a few times, but I never had a chance to dip bait, yet.

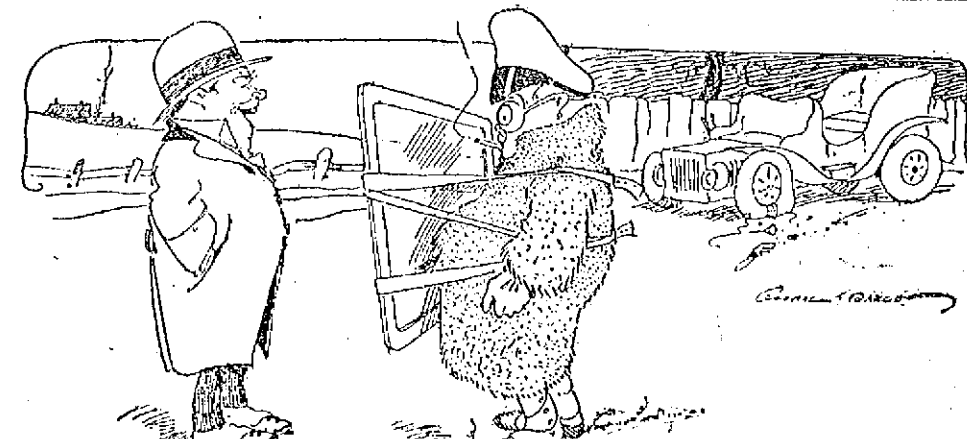
"But do you notice he works everything out by analysis?"  
"Mostly that way."  
"I think I would do the same."  
"So? Let me put a hypothetical case to you. A convict escapes from Sing-Sing."  
"I see."  
"No trace of him is found for two years. The case is then given to you. How would you analyze it?"  
"Easy as rolling off a log. I should look for and find him a member of the Legislature!"



"Why, Percy! What—"

"Don't mention it, old chap. I'm terribly mortified as it is, but the motor has broken down and I'd catch my death of cold, 'pon honor, if I went without my wind-shield."

MORTIFIED.



PREPARED.

How about Grimy? He read in the paper we was goin' to have a late spring, so he ast de Judge to give him three months 'stead of one—an' he's in yet.

## IT WAS A FAILURE.

HE picked out his pedestrian and halted him, and then taking an ear-trumpet from his own pocket he held it to his ear and asked:  
"Will you have the kindness to direct me to Bridge street?"  
"Two blocks down!" was shouted into the trumpet.  
"Four blocks up, eh? Much obliged."  
"No! Two blocks down!"  
"Did you say three blocks sideways?"  
"I said—two—block—down!"

"I almost got you, but not quite. If you would be so kind—"  
The other repeated that Bridge street was two blocks down.  
"It's singular," said the man with the trumpet.  
One more repeat.  
The man took the trumpet from his ear and shook his head and ruefully said:  
"I guess I'll have to give up going to Bridge street. You might try once more and then we'll let it go."  
It was once more shouted that

Bridge street was two blocks down.  
"It is evidently a failure," said the deaf party as he restored the trumpet to his pocket. "I don't see what he got it for."  
"Isn't it your trumpet?"  
"Bless you, no!"  
"And you aren't deaf?"  
"Not in the slightest."  
"Then—then—"  
"Just trying it for a friend who is deaf, but the thing is a failure—a flat failure. Thanks. So long!"

JOB KERR.

## Ode to March.

O H, blow ye winds of March, and blow,  
And give us scurriously weather;  
Mix up your snow and hail and slush,  
And hand it out together.  
Oh, blow the horns from off the cows,  
The tops from off the trees;  
Oh, blow the silvers up our backs,  
And dose us with the sneezes.  
Some blizzards from the West let loose,  
To set the coal men singing;  
Make spring one day and winter next,  
And hear our curses ringing.  
Frost-bite the 'taters in the bin—  
Freeze up the milk and butter;  
Next day bring forth the violet,  
To hurt our feelings utter.  
In brief, old March, we look to you  
For many days are over;  
To show the country you can make  
Yourself an ass in clover.

JOB KERR.



## WON TWO GAMES

## DEATHS

## A LITTLE NONSENSE

## TO LET

## FOR SALE

## Y.M.C.A. Teams Defeated Opponents

Two fast games of basketball were played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night and the teams representing the association won both contests. In the first game the Y. M. C. A. first team defeated the Filene Five of Boston by the score of 44 to 21. In the second contest the Centralville of the association won from the Civic club of Ayer by the score of 33 to 21.

Though the score of the main game was very one sided the game was quite interesting. The Lowell boys played a great game all through and kept the Centralville team from getting a basket in the first half. In the second session, however, the Boston lads got acquainted and made a few points. The work of the Lowell team was certainly pleasing to their friends who were present in large numbers. The feature work was done by Jimmy Grant and H. Cote, the fast forwards of the Lowell outfit. The former tossed in six baskets and the latter got seven. The only man on the Boston team to score a basket from the floor was Egan who had two to his credit. The score:

Lowell: J. Grant, 11; Cote, 11; W. Grant, 9; Wood, 10; Pearson, 10. Filene Five: J. Grant, 11; Cote, 11; W. Grant, 9; Wood, 10; Pearson, 10.

Score: Lowell, 44; Filene Five, 21. Baskets from floor: Cote 7, James Grant 6, W. Grant 4, Wood 2, Pearson, 2. Baskets from foul line: Cote 4, Livingston 2, Egan 1. Time 15 and 20 minutes periods. Referee: Wilson. Timer, McGraw. Score: Stephens, Attendance—400.

The game between the Centralville and the Ayer team was the rubber contest between the two teams, each having a victory to its credit. The game started off with a rush and was exciting at all times. Manning and Doyle, the fast forwards of the Centralville played remarkably well. Their work was easily the feature of the game. Manning scored 13 baskets from the floor, while Doyle tossed in 7. The star work for the boys from Ayer was done by J. Donohue, who scored 5 counters during the game. The lineup:

Centralville: J. Donohue, Ryan, Manning, J. B. Sullivan, J. Green, 15. Ayer: J. Donohue, Ryan, Manning, J. B. Sullivan, J. Green, 15.

Score: Centralville, 33; Ayer, 21. Baskets from floor: Manning 12, Doyle 7, J. Donohue 5, F. Donohue 2, Green 2, Sullivan. Baskets from foul line: Manning 3, Sullivan 2. Time—20 minutes periods. Referee, Wilson. Timer, C. Cronin; scorer, Coulter.

## DRAMATIC RECITAL

## MR. DARRACH APPEARED IN COMEDY OF ERRORS

The last in the series of Shakespearean recitals by Mr. Marshall Darrach of Boston was given last night in Colonial hall and was attended by an audience that completely filled the auditorium. This being the final recital, the large attendance was a tribute to the popularity of Mr. Darrach, whose dramatic talent has made him a general favorite in Lowell, especially with the lovers of Shakespeare.

The entertainments have been given for the benefit of the public playgrounds under the auspices of the Middlesex Women's club. The play taken up last night was "The Comedy of Errors" and although it is not particularly adapted to the display of histrionic talent, yet under Mr. Darrach's artistic presentation, the features of this drama were highly enjoyed.

The humor of the play is based upon the similarity of two pairs of twin brothers, and the Darrachs being attendants upon the other pair, Mr. Darrach portrayed the complications in an admirable manner. The recital has served a good purpose in refreshing the memory of those who attended some of the local plays of Shakespeare as these plays are very seldom seen in any theatre of late years. But when they are recited by Mr. Darrach their charm and literary splendor are fully brought to light. We should have more such entertainments as they are an intellectual treat and the best substitute we can have for the actual presentation of the plays with their entire cast of characters. Mr. Darrach can assume the different characters with great success, thus showing a degree of versatility that is indeed very rare. Hereafter he will be a great favorite in this city.

## THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



WHAT SHE SAID IN RHYMES.  
A young lady residing in Gass, Ill.,  
Said to her best beau: "Alas, Will,  
You call night and day  
And have so much to say  
That the neighbors call you my Gass Bill."  
ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.  
Upper left corner does to auto.

McNAMARA—John J. McNamara, aged 32 years, a well known resident of this city, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Patrick Soraghan, 123 Fayette street. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife, Mary, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Patrick Soraghan, Mrs. James Duffy, Miss Nora McNamara, Mrs. Thomas O'Neill and Bridget McNamara, the two latter in Ireland; two brothers, Joseph J. of this city and Timothy of Lawrence, Mass.

PAULIN—Julius J. Paulin, formerly of this city but for the last few years a resident of Enfield, Alabama, died yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital, aged 55 years. He came here to visit his brother, and being ill at the time he arrived, he went to St. John's hospital. He leaves, besides his brother, Laurence J. Paulin, 101 Livingston avenue, two sisters, Miss Catherine Paulin and Mrs. Charles M. Williams, both of this city, and two nieces, Mrs. di Palma of Rome, Italy, and Mrs. Joseph A. Boynton of this city.

HILTON—William R. Hilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hilton, died last night at the home of his parents, 35 Alder street, aged 5 years.

PARENT—Loretta, infant daughter of Alfred A. and Virginia Parent, aged 4 years, 6 months and 21 days, died to-day at the home of her parents, 113 Llewellyn street.

RICE—The many friends of Edna Rice, who died last night, will be interested to know that she was a native of this city.

## LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE  
By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by William Plancher to the State of Maine to Edward J. Rice, of the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated at Boston, N. S., and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry Deeds, Book 236, Page 144, and subsequently assigned to me by an instrument in common form duly recorded in said Registry Deeds and for breach of the condition of said mortgage will be sold at public auction, to-wit: the premises in said mortgage deed described on Friday, the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to-wit:

A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon situated in the center village of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded on the east by the road leading to North Chelmsford, said lot containing two acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the said lot, a corner of the wall where the road leading to North Chelmsford intersects the road leading to the lot four hundred three (403) feet to a stone post at land of said land; thence easterly by said stone post and land of said land three hundred thirty-two (332) feet to a stone bound at land of Joseph M. Fletcher; thence westerly by said wall first mentioned three (3) feet to the first named road three hundred thirty-two (332) feet to the point of beginning; said premises being subject to a prior mortgage to the Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank in the principal sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$25.00) and interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum. Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

CHALMERS, Mass., Feb. 26, 1912.

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick J. Gately of Lowell in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and Lillian Gately, wife of the said Patrick J. Gately, in her own right, to Jerome Gookin of Lowell, dated September 8, 1898, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Book 153, Page 561, will be sold at public auction at the office of John H. Farver, 322 Middlesex building, in said Lowell, on Saturday, the sixteenth day of March, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: a certain tract of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Lowell on the southerly side of Appleton street containing 6500 1/2 square feet and thus bounded: Beginning at the northerly corner of a lot of land conveyed by the Deeds and Canto to Daniel H. Dean, lot 121 feet 10 in. east on said Dean lot 121 feet 10 in. thence south 54 deg. west 51 feet and 2 inches; thence north 10 deg. west 116 feet 10 in. to Appleton street; thence north 74 deg. east on said street 30 feet to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to Bernard Kelly and Mary Kelly by the Appleton National Bank, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 153, Page 155.

Said to be made subject to all unpaid taxes and liens, if any there are. Terms made known at sale.

JEROME GOOKIN, Mortgagee.



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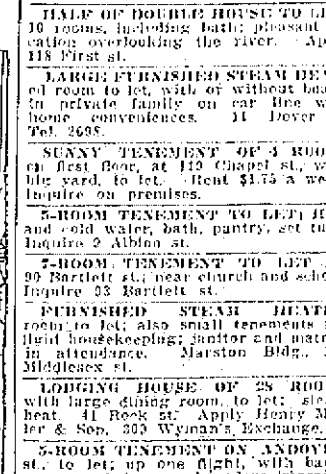
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## FEDERAL INQUIRY BEGUN

## HON. BUTLER AMES

Says Lawrence Strikers Are Deserving  
of Much Sympathy

LAWRENCE, Feb. 28.—The first of at least two investigations by federal officers into certain phases of the situation surrounding the long standing strike of mill workers in this city was begun today. Special Agent William C. Dannenberg of the department of justice, acting under United States District Attorney Asa P. French, presided over an inquiry into the exportation of children. He came to Lawrence to ascertain particularly whether the police officials in preventing the departure of one hundred children for Philadelphia last Saturday acted in violation of the inter-state commerce law. Members of the children's sub-committee of the strike committee appeared before him and offered the strikers evidence regarding this particular matter. Alleged ill-treatment of women and children by the police did not enter into this inquiry. The wages and working conditions in the mills of the city are to be the subject of the investigation and an official who will arrive here tomorrow to start the investigation.

Congressman Butler Ames in whose district Lawrence is situated concluded a two days' personal investigation of the strike today and will leave for Washington tonight. After attending a lively session of the strike committee this morning, Congressman Ames said he believed himself now well acquainted with all sides in the controversy and expressed the opinion that the strikers are deserving of much sympathy.

The session of the strike committee of the I. W. W. today was replete with protests against certain alleged actions of the police and militia. It was charged that the police and court officials have accepted cut rates on fines, in one case offering to reduce a \$5 fine first to \$3, then to \$1, and finally the deposit of an overcoat worn by a man arrested. The overcoat was then given, it is alleged, in payment of the fine. It was said also that the women among the strikers have decided not to pay a fine in any case when arrested but to fill the jails. In connection with a statement from the bench by Judge Mahoney, which was reiterated by him today, one of the women declared that they are acting as pickets of their own volition and not at the command of any leaders. In connection with the cases of two women arrested this morning, both of whose cases were continued, Judge Mahoney again took occasion to criticize "the fellows behind who are putting women and children on the streets to picket" and he added that he could deal with these women only as he would with men. A permanent organization to assist in the maintenance of law and order in Lawrence was perfected today at a meeting of a committee of citizens, the board of trade and other business organizations.

Lawrence people generally were made easier in mind by the announcement today that the troops were not to be dismissed. A rumor that the military forces were to be dispensed with aroused hundreds of inquiries during the forenoon. This rumor is believed to have originated in the fact that Col. Sweetser in his conference with Gov. Foss in Boston yesterday is understood to have requested that he be relieved of command and be allowed to resume his normal life.

WOMAN ARRESTED  
IT IS ALLEGED SHE SWORE AT  
AN OFFICER

LAWRENCE, Feb. 28.—Just a single incident broke the monotony of quiet during the early morning hours here in the strike of the cotton and woolen mill workers.

This was the dispersal by cavalry and metropolitan police officers of a crowd of about a hundred persons, most of them young women and girls, which was increasing along the picket lines on Essex street to such an extent that the officials feared that it might develop into an unruly mob, as was the case on Monday. The crowd was separated into two groups at the corner of Jackson street, without great trouble but when a further division was demanded by the police on Appleton street there was some resistance. A small body of cavalry entered up and into the crowd of women who covered before the prancing horses but soon disintegrated at the common. Here the first division of the crowd was met and found to be

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obdurate. The cavalrymen rode through them without hurting anyone but a few still stood their ground and one or two of the women were hit lightly by the officers' clubs. One swore at an officer and was arrested. Another refused to move on and also was taken into custody. The others dispersed.

A greater crowd gathered about the railroad station expecting to see a party of children off to Washington, where they are to appear before congress. But the departure of these children has been delayed until tomorrow at the earliest. One reason why the strikers have not been able to complete the party is that, as originally planned, the delegation was to have been of strikers' children. Congressman Berger, at whose suggestion they are to appear before congress on Saturday, telegraphed to William D. Baywood, one of the strike leaders, that only children who work in the mills are wanted, so an entirely new party had to be enrolled and this work is still going on.

The children who were originally enlisted for the Washington trip will form a portion of the party which may still be sent to Philadelphia. The incidents surrounding the prevention of the departure of a body of children for Philadelphia and their detention by the police, together with that of the mothers of some, occupied with other phases of the strike the attention of Congressman Butler Ames of Lowell again today. Congressman Ames, in whose district Lawrence is situated, appeared at a meeting of the strikers' committee today to acquaint himself with both sides of past events, existing conditions and prospective developments. He is to return to Washington tomorrow. That there is no investigation of strike leaders beyond that in the case of Joseph J. Etnier and Arturo Giovannitti was the statement by telephone from his home in Lynn today of District Attorney Henry Atwill. He said the grand jury will not meet until April 3 and then will sit at Newburyport. He said it was possible that other phases of the strike situation may be considered by what they may be he would not say and he added that to his knowledge nothing was being done in this connection at the present time.

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FATALLY INJURED  
Man Fell Under Wheels  
of Car

NEWTON, Feb. 28.—In an attempt to board a moving train on the Boston & Albany railroad today, John H. Shapleigh, head of a Boston wholesale coffee house, fell under the wheels and was so seriously injured that he died within 15 minutes. Mr. Shapleigh was one of the leading residents of Newton. He was senior warden of Grace Episcopal church and a delegate for many years to diocesan conventions of the denomination.

## INTEREST

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9:30 to 12:30; Saturday evenings:  
7 to 9 o'clock.

## THE DEPT. ESTIMATES THREE HOLD-UP MEN

Discussed by Municipal Council  
in Executive Session

At a meeting of the municipal council held this afternoon at city hall the following traverse jurors to serve in this city at the term of court beginning the first Monday in March, were drawn by Ald. Donnelly:  
Fred P. Folsom, 154 Shaw street, clerk.  
Francis G. Baldwin, 374 Beacon street, dealer.  
George Couzoules, 503 Market street, vice-consul and steamship ticket agent.  
Martin H. Reidy, 173 School street, manager, Lowell Sun.  
Arthur M. Bertrand, 22 Middle street, merchant tailor.  
Simon Dean, 1249 Gorham street, butcher.  
John J. Havlin, 932, Lakeview ave., weaver.

## Ask Your Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Stick to it. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles.

## TONIGHT

Calvary Church, 8 o'clock. Doors open 7:15. Brilliant Russian Boy Violinist. Samuel A. Blackman, of Boston. Mendelssohn, Nale, Quarta. Lowell. Miss Edna Spear, of Texas, reader. Ellsworth Blanchard, Boston, Boy Soprano. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, Lowell, and Prof. Albert L. Walker, accompanists. Tickets 25c. Committee and at Door

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## THREE HOLD-UP MEN

## Were Captured by Martin J. Sheridan, Champion Athlete

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Policeman Martin J. Sheridan, who in his official capacity is a world's champion all-around athlete, sprinted ten blocks this morning to arrest three men who are charged with a series of attempted holdups in West Side saloons. It was just after midnight when the three men, masked and armed with revolvers, entered the first saloon and told the bartender to throw up his hands. He did so but when one of the hold-up men tried to vault the bar to get to the cash register, the bartender told him with a blow in the face. The other two masked men fired several shots and then fled, dragging their companion with them.

## THE "THREE BRIGANDS"

Are Wanted by the Police of  
New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—While the police have the names of ten alleged highwaymen, five or whom are under arrest, the evidence so far uncovered in the taxi cab holdup in the Wall street district in which two men were black-jacked and \$25,000 in money stolen, shows that several others knew of the planning and execution of the plot and perhaps shared in the loot.

Deputy Commissioner Dougherty has the names of five of the men who are wanted and expects that arrests will be made within the next 24 hours. The police are especially desirous of arrest-

## A SEVERE BATTLE

ROME, Feb. 28.—A severe battle resulting in the utter defeat by the Italian troops of the Turkish forces and their Arab allies with great loss is reported in official dispatches received here today from Homs (which is also known as Latta) about 70 miles to the east of the city of Tripoli on the Mediterranean coast. The engagement occurred at Mount Merghel, which lies at some distance behind the town. The Turks and Arabs had taken up a very strong position on the slopes, where they were attacked by the Italians with infantry and artillery. After a fight which lasted all day the Italians put the enemy to flight by storming the heights. The loss of the Turks and Arabs is described in the report as very heavy. The Italians lost only 11 killed and 82 wounded.

## BADLY INJURED

## MAN FELL DOWN FLIGHT OF STAIRS

Daniel Sweeney of 206 Cross street had his left shoulder dislocated by falling down a flight of stairs at his home this afternoon. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital for treatment.

After the graduating exercises at the Lowell Industrial school last evening the members of the automobile instruction class presented their instructor, Mr. Clarence E. Lesner, a fountain pen. The presentation was made by Mr. Thomas Collins, and he expressed the thanks of the pupils and wishes for the best of success for Mr. Lesner in his new departure as agent of the R. C. H. automobile.

## BOY WAS STABBED

## Police Have a Good Description of the Assailant

Edward Kapela, aged 14 years and living at 25 Jewett street, was stabbed in the chest shortly before one o'clock this afternoon as he was standing in John street near the corner of Merrimack street. The man who used the knife made his escape, but the police have a good description of him and expect to locate him before long. The boy was taken in the ambulance to St. John's hospital where he received treatment. Although the wound is very deep it is difficult for the doctors to ascertain at the present time whether or not blood poisoning would result. It is understood, according to the story told by people who were on the street at the time of the stabbing, that previous to the assault a number of boys were snowballing people who passed through the street. Whether or not Kapela was throwing snowballs is in doubt, but the man who did the stabbing was evidently provoked as a result of being struck. The man, after being struck, turned around suddenly and drawing a knife from his pocket stabbed Kapela. The boy was taken into the store of P. & R. Bailey & Co. at the corner of Merrimack and John streets where he was treated. In the meantime the ambulance was summoned and upon its arrival the injured boy was taken to St. John's hospital. An examination at the hospital showed that the knife had struck the eighth rib on his right side and after making an incision glanced away. The man who did the stabbing was evidently an employee in one of the local mills, and after he used the knife he ran away. The police were immediately notified and having a good description of him expect to locate him in a short time. The police on making a careful investigation of the case found that another boy had also been stabbed by the man. The latter was Samuel Campbell, aged 18 years, who resides at 101 Tilden street. Campbell was stabbed in the back, but the wound proved to be more painful than serious.



# WOMAN FACES DEATH

## Supreme Court Decision Settles Fate of Mrs. Cusumano

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—By the decision of the supreme court yesterday, Mrs. Lena Cusumano, convicted of the murder of her husband, unless the governor and council commute her sentence, will be the first woman to die in the electric chair in the history of Massachusetts.

She will be the first woman to enter a death cell in Charlestown prison. There is no woman in the prison—nothing provided for a woman who is going to her death. She will have to spend 10 days before her execution in the death cell and, here again, the officials of the prison are in a quandary as to what they are to do.

The efforts of her counsel and the hundreds interested in her case proved unavailing before the full bench that decided the question yesterday, and it was the unanimous belief of the judges that the law demanded the woman's life.

The legal points raised by Thomas J. Grady, counsel for Mrs. Cusumano, which brought the case before the supreme court, was that the trial judge had erred in allowing certain testimony to go to the jury. The court did not sustain his objections.

However, with the first word of the supreme court's decision a campaign to save Mrs. Cusumano's life has been begun and undoubtedly every possible effort will be made to prevent the woman from going to her death in the electric chair.

Governor Foss has already expressed himself, for as soon as he learned that the woman had been sentenced to the chair he said she would never go to her death in such a manner until he had exhausted every possible means of prevention open to him.

There are various societies whose purpose of existence is the abolishment of capital punishment, and there are thousands who will do all in their power to prevent Mrs. Cusumano's going to the chair simply because she is a woman.

By the decision the fate of Enrico Mascetti, the woman's lover, and her accomplice in the slaying of her husband, is also finally determined, and

he too, must die in the electric chair, at the law may avenge the murder of Frank Cusumano.

### FINDS HIS BROTHER

#### Mayor Gaynor Solves Mystery of 40 Years

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 28.—Mayor Gaynor of New York is directly responsible for making Officer Armstrong of Concord, a well-known railroad man, a very happy man, and in cleaning up a mystery of 40 years' standing.

Way back in the early '80s Oliver and his brother, William Armstrong, then born in Brooklyn, were placed by their parents in a school at St. James, Minn. The boys stayed until the winter of 1887, when they were sent to a boarding school in New York. Oliver went to Grand Forks, N. D., and became a sheep raiser; then went south and finally 10 years later struck New Hampshire where he got a job at Concord on the railroad. He married and settled down.

All this time he had been trying to get on to get in touch with the relatives he left behind in New York. A few months ago his wife died at Concord and he found himself with several young children on his hands and longing all the more for some word from the family he had deserted as a boy.

He applied to Mayor French at Concord for help. He got in touch with Mayor Gaynor at New York. In time the city authorities got busy and during the last few days word has come that Armstrong has brothers and sisters alive in New York whom he has never seen.

It has been learned that Armstrong's father died in New York in 1905, leaving a daughter, Mrs. William French of 1449 Brunswick avenue, Brooklyn, and two sons, Samuel Armstrong of 149 East 147th street, and Jere Armstrong, who is said to be at present dangerously ill at St. Peter's hospital, New York. Oliver has just got the last report from Mayor Gaynor's office and will start at once for New York.

THE BOYNTON BILL

### Was Beaten in the Senate Yesterday

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—The state senate yesterday afternoon, on a tie vote, killed the E. Moody Boynton bicycle railroad bill once more. The vote stood 15 to 14 in favor of substitution when Pres. Greenwood and his name called. He voted in the negative.

By a vote of 12 to 20, the Italian bill for the determination of the value of shares of railroad stock was rejected, and the adverse report of the committee was accepted.

Several amendments and one new bill were filed by Senators Stearns and Pinkham, to provide for preferential voting on president and vice-president, but no action was taken yesterday.

An order was offered by Senator Quigley, and adopted, that the railroad commissioners be requested to report before April 1, whether or not the reduction in the number of employees by the New York and the Boston & Hartford railroad and the Boston & Maine has been responsible for the delay in delivering coal in western Massachusetts.

The same senator offered a second order, which was adopted, for a report by the railroad commission as to the cause of the recent Boston tunnel accident, and whether the reduction in the number of employees was responsible.

Senator Schofield moved reconsideration of the action, whereby the Boynton bicycle railroad bill was rejected last week. Reconsideration prevailed on a rising vote, 13 to 11, and no roll call was taken. Senator Schofield then spoke for the bill and moved reconsideration of the vote, whereby the senate had refused to substitute the bill. Reconsideration prevailed on a rising vote, 10 to 11.

Senator Pearson of Brookline said he had voted for reconsideration on the assurance of the senator from Essex (Nason) that all objectionable features would be removed to a minimum; unless the bill was redrafted he hoped it would be killed.

Senator Schofield of Ipswich said unless the bill was redrafted and changed he would not ask for its passage.

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125 Clark St., Clinton, Mass.—"My babies are two boys and at the age of three months one of them began to have sores on his head which looked like little pimples. In a few days it was raw and swollen. I tried all I thought was good for him but it began to come on his two cheeks. They were as raw as could be and he made no attempt to scratch. So I thought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and in six weeks' time baby was as well as ever."

"His head was so covered with sores I had to cut his hair close to his head. Now his hair has grown long and he has had no more sores. If ever mother has a child whose little head is so sore and try to rub the little head on the pillow to get some relief, they will try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment to cure baby." (Signed) Mrs. John Brooks, Nov. 17, 1911.

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head with my hand, for it would itch so he could not sleep.

"The doctor told me it was eczema. I had heard lots about Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, so I sent for a sample and I found on the fourth day baby slept better and the swelling was gone. The water no longer ran from his head, and he made no attempt to scratch. He thought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and in six weeks' time baby was as well as ever."

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## VERDICT IS UPHELD

### For Fitchburg Girl Expelled from School

BECAUSE SHE REFUSED POLICE MAN'S JOB

In the Civil Government Scheme Conducted in the School—Interesting Case Subject of Much Comment

FITCHBURG, Feb. 28.—Pauline Jones of Fitchburg was out in her suit against the city for damages arising from her exclusion from the Ashburham street school in Fitchburg in 1908 because she refused to do duty as a policeman under the civil government system in the school.

A verdict of \$150 in her favor stands.

The full bench of the supreme court yesterday held that the school committee erred in not giving the child a public hearing, at the request of the father, William Jones, before voting to uphold the action of Principal George T. Hopkins.

Members of the class were appointed to various municipal offices in accordance with the system of giving a practical demonstration of civil government.

She had been a policeman in the class. She performed her duties, which consisted in watching the children in the basement, keeping them in line and looking after other minor details.

One day a towel was missed from the basement of one of the two school buildings. It was found in the other building and several of the class were kept after school and publicly told by the principal that he suspected they were responsible.

Finally he detailed Pauline as the policeman in the class to investigate. She declined to go to the other building to do police work. She was told she could not attend school unless she did so. Her father told her not to act as policeman and she so informed the principal.

The child was excluded from the school and her father corresponded with the school authorities. Instead of giving a public hearing as demanded by the father, the school committee voted to uphold the action of the principal, deciding that the child could return to school if she would do duty as a policeman. Since she refused to do this, the vote was substantially a permanent exclusion from the school, according to the decision of the superior court.

The court holds that if the school committee had given a public hearing, and then made a ruling in good faith, the plaintiff would have had no right, as the committee's decision would have been final. As the committee, however,

failed to comply with the statutory requirements as to a public hearing, it erred in not giving such a hearing and the city was liable for its action. The court refused to grant a new trial.

David I. Walsh appeared for the girl and the city solicitor of Fitchburg represented the defendant.

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### MINOR LICENSES

GRANTED BY THE LICENSE BOARD LAST NIGHT

The license board met in regular session last night and granted a number of minor licenses.

Nathan Grossbaum who resides at 104 Chestnut street, appeared before the board on a complaint charging him with using offensive and abusive language to a police officer. Chairman John J. Mullaney was present when the alleged abusive language was used and stated that he felt the officer would be justified in arresting the man.

Mr. Mullaney did not care to press the matter and the respondent was allowed to retain his license as a hawk and peddler.

The licenses granted were as follows: Hawker and peddler, Mike Williams & Co., 5 rear of 81 Chapel street; Angelo Pilato, 137 Gorham street; Giuseppe Pilato, 155 Gorham street.

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Black Petticoats of light weight moccasin with tucked circular flounce, 89c value, marked down to 29c

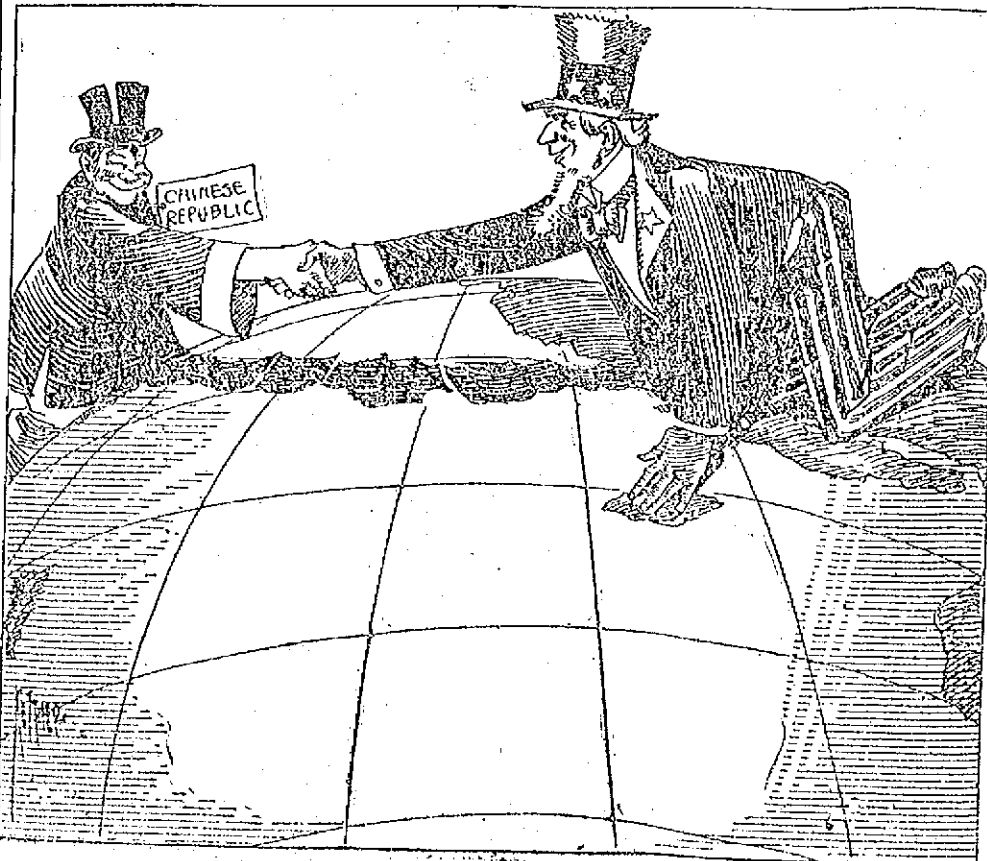
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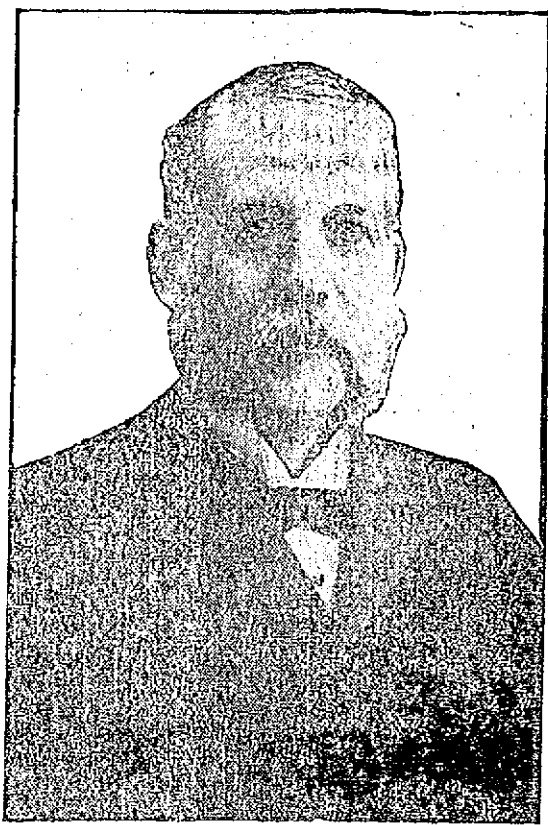
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## CONGRATULATIONS





## LEGISLATORS PLEASED

MR. A. G. CUMNOCK,  
Chairman of TrusteesWith What They Saw at Textile  
School Last Night

The young men who are learning the secrets of the textile industry at the Lowell Textile school were given some sound advice by Senator Clark, chairman of the legislative committee on education, last night. The committee came to Lowell last evening to visit the textile school and was met at the Richardson hotel by Mayor O'Donnell and Commissioner Barrett, members ex-officio of the board of trustees; Senator Barlow and Representatives Jewett, Toomey, Craig, Cuff, Butler, Kearns and Achin. The party had supper at the hotel and then went by special car to the textile school where they were met by President A. G. Cumnock of the board of trustees, James T. Smith, clerk, and Charles H. James, principal.

They don't know what they're missing."

**Making Baseball Toss**  
All of the committee members were very much interested in the work that was being done in the different rooms and some of the local men were surprised at the wide field that is being covered by the textile school, from the raw material to the finished article and including the finest of work and richest designs.

Most of the machinery in the building is the most modern in the market and quite a lot of it, of course, has been donated. The cloth and other articles in process of making were there to show for themselves and the mechanism of the different machines were explained by the operators. The visitors were delighted with the work of the different rooms as it was unfolded to the eye and the climax was reached when Principal James, upon picking up a well knit stocking, cardinal in color, and a piece of gray cloth, very modestly remarked that the boys were making their own baseball suits, stockings and all.

"I feel like giving those fellows three cheers," said Rep. James, house chairman. "I am delighted with everything that I have seen here tonight," he continued, "and when it comes to baseball I'm Johnnie on the spot with the appreciation. A boy who can make his own baseball toss, stockings and all, is a corker, and with all that I have seen here tonight, I wouldn't be surprised to hear, a few years hence, that battushies were being built at the Lowell Textile school."

**Students as Builders**

The visitors were escorted from the main building to the annex and when it was pointed out to them that the substantial and pretentious annex was not only built by the young men of the school, but that they even made the bricks used in the construction of it, they looked surprised and said that the school and the young men were to be congratulated. "I have heard a good deal about the Lowell Textile school," said one of the committee, "but I didn't think it as great as it is. I hope that no vote of mine will ever in any way hinder the work of this school."

The committee was shown the new boiler house that is being built back of the annex and the boiler house, too, is being built by the school. At the present time the boilers are in the school but the insurance authorities have ordered them out and they will be transferred from the school to the new boiler house just as soon as the latter is ready to receive them.

**In the Glass Rooms**

Senator Clark had a word to say to the boys and young men in the different classes and he admonished them to keep away from whiskey and cigarettes.

There is nothing good in either cigarettes or whiskey," said the senator, and the boys who indulged in either one are sure to regret it. Our boys should seek the things that are elevating, not the things that are dangerous and degrading. If you would have success in life keep away from whiskey and cigarettes."

**Boys Interrogated**

In the room where mechanical drawing was being taught and in other rooms, President Cumnock asked the boys several questions for the benefit of the visitors. The boys were asked where they lived, if they worked during the day and what time they would get home at night after leaving the school. Quite a number of boys were from out of town, and boys from Haverhill and Lawrence said it would be pretty nearly midnight before they would reach home. One young man said that train accommodations were poor and he appealed to Mr. Cumnock to use his influence for better service. The question relative to working days elicited the fact that all of the boys in all of the classes had worked during day. "I admire you boys for the ambition that your presence here makes manifest and for the courage you exhibit," said Senator Clark, "and I sincerely hope that the foundation which you are now laying will be surmounted by a career worthy of your industry, a credit to yourselves and to the school."

**Personnel of Committee**

The members of the committee are Senators Clark (chairman), Nelson and Hunt; Representatives James (house chairman), Greenwood, Morse (clerk), Baker, Wood, McElaney, Morrill and Cummings.

**The Financial End**

With reference to the financial end of the school, it was stated that since 1879, when the institution was established, there has been received from the commonwealth the sum of \$652,-

CHARLES H. JAMES,  
Principal

493.65, and there has been contributed from outside sources the sum of \$274,-\$27.11, making a total of outside contributions amounting to \$12,323.45. Last year, the school expended \$59,700. This year the following amounts are estimated as being necessary to the progress of the school:

Maintenance, \$40,000; regular amount voted by the city, \$3000; legislation authorizing the city of Lowell, if desired to set aside 10 scholarships at \$100 apiece, annually, the sum of \$1,000, of which \$10,475 shall be for equipment for cotton fabric finishing, \$3279 shall be for equipment for electric laboratory, the sum of \$3084 shall be for the textile testing equipment, and sum of \$3500 shall be for additional forms and other equipment in the dyeing laboratory; also that the sum of \$25,000 be given by the state conditional upon the raising of a like amount from outside sources for paying off the \$50,000 owed by the school. The point was emphasized to the committee that the state would not be obligated to pay one cent of the \$25,000, unless the school raised an equal amount from outside sources.

## SAMUEL ALSCHULER

Wants to be Governor of Illinois

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—One of the liveliest political fights that Illinois has seen in many years is now under way. Samuel Alschuler of Aurora has opened headquarters here in the Lussalle hotel and is conducting his campaign under the slogan "Nominate the man who can



win in November." He expects to speak in every county in the state before the primaries on April 9. Mr. Alschuler was the democratic candidate for governor in 1900 and was defeated, though he polled 15,000 more votes than the national democratic ticket. In that election he carried Chicago by 7500, though McKinley had a plurality in the city of 27,567.

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## LARCENY IS CHARGED FINED FOR ASSAULT

Orlando Hines of Winchester Man Accused by Former Partner  
Placed Under Arrest  
Ordered to Pay \$12

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—As Orlando W. Hines, 23 years old, of 44 Mount Vernon street, Winchester, was about to leave this city with his wife and child on a steamer bound for Savannah yesterday afternoon, he was arrested by Sergt. Farrell and Inspector Harris of police headquarters. They held a warrant charging him with the larceny of \$15 from the Liberty Trust company of 157 Washington street.

The police said later that the larceny charged to Hines amounted to several hundred dollars and that additional charges will be preferred today, up his arraignment.

Last Saturday Hines appeared at the Liberty Trust company, declaring, it is said, he desired to open an account. He is alleged to have told the officials of the company that he had more than \$700 on deposit at the Middlesex county National bank of Winchester. They claim he opened an account, depositing a check for \$500 drawn on the Winchester bank, then cashing a check for \$50.

Monday morning he is alleged to have drawn \$75 from the trust company and Monday afternoon, it is claimed, he secured a certified check for \$100.90. The latter was made payable to the agent of the Savannah Live and was tendered in payment for two round-trip tickets.

Yesterday several checks Hines is alleged to have passed upon local concerns drawn on the Liberty Trust company reached that company through regular channels. An investigation revealed that all Hines had on deposit at the Winchester bank was \$115.

Police headquarters was notified and Sergt. Farrell and Inspector Harris detailed to the case. They knew that the Savannah boat was due to sail yesterday and they were waiting at the dock when Hines appeared with his wife and child. The wife and child returned to their Winchester home after Hines had been locked up. So far as known, Hines has given the police no explanation for his alleged larcenies.

Hines said that he intended upon reaching Savannah to secure the agency in that city for a Chicago firm that sold land on the installment plan.

One of the most amusing cases that has been brought before the attention of the local police court for a long time was that of Benjamin Sideman who appeared before Judge John J. Picciani this morning on a complaint charging him with assault and battery on Morris Goldberg. Both men are hawkers and peddlers and as a result of a difference of opinion last Wednesday morning there was an assault. The court, after considering the case found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$12.

According to the testimony offered in the complaint and defendant were partners for several years and last Wednesday the question arose over the ownership of certain measures. The pair met in Daly street and there was an assault. Sideman claims that he was struck first; Goldberg denied the allegation. Sideman testified that after being assaulted he defended himself by taking a measure and striking Goldberg over the head.

There were several witnesses who testified but their testimony was so contradictory that the court found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of \$12.

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Such women in increasing number are acquiring the mercurized wax habit. By applying the wax at night as they would cold cream, washing it off in the morning, they secure, and maintain, entirely natural complexions. Their faces exhibit no evidence of having been "beautified." Nothing is added to the old complexion—the latter, instead of being discarded, is merely preserved and made more beautiful. The fresh, clear, satiny underskin which appears, bears a healthy, youthful bloom not comparable with the fixed artificial color."

**Stole a Stove**

Amelia Gay, a young woman, pleaded guilty to the complaint of stealing an oil stove, the property of Adele Smith. It appeared according to the testimony that the girl had been wayward and insubordinate as she acknowledged that she had committed the felony. The court ordered her sentenced to one month in jail.

**Twenty Days in Jail**

William Monahan pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of three and one-half pounds of lard, the property of the city of Lowell. He was sentenced to 20 days in jail.

**Case Continued**

The case of Patrick Carney charged with doing plumbing without a license, was continued until tomorrow morning owing to the non-appearance of the defendant.

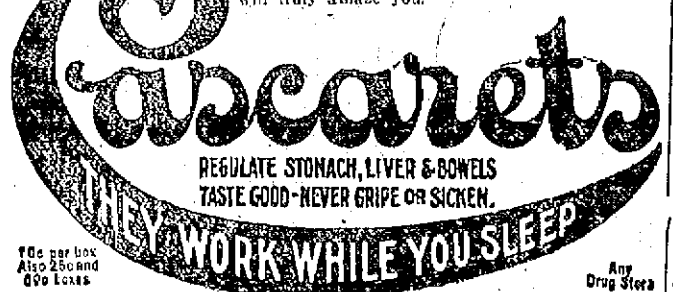
**Another Case Continued**

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# SCHOOL BOARD MET

## Members Clashed Over Transfer of High School Teacher

At the regular meeting of the school board held last night there developed a somewhat spirited controversy relating to a transfer in the teaching force at the high school. Previous to the meeting a conference was held with Principal Cyrus W. Irish of the high school and it was 10:15 o'clock when the meeting was called.

The action having to do with the transfer in question was taken in the conference and Mr. Rogers brought it before the board in the form of a motion. The motion was seconded by Mr. Farrington and Mr. Bagley objected on the ground that the chairman had no right to second a motion while occupying the chair.

Mr. Rogers asked the privilege of going on record as dissenting from the action of the committee on High School, taken in private conference, and was permitted. Mr. Farrington said he wanted to go on record as agreeing with Mr. Rogers.

**Committee on Rules**  
The committee on rules was not ready to report, as had been expected, another meeting being necessary before the new rules can be voted upon. Mr. Rogers, however, as chairman of that committee, made reference to the important question of the revision of rules relating to the method of hiring teachers, and moved that the master of the high school and the grammar masters of the city be invited to meet the committee in conference, to make suggestions, as educational experts regarding the matter, for the consideration of the board. This motion called out a vigorous protest from Mrs. O'Connor and Bagley. Mr. Rogers' motion was lost, four to one.

A special meeting held some time ago the salaries of Messrs. Barry, Callahan and Green were raised \$200. The other grammar masters were allowed this increase when appointed to the advisory board. In the reading of the secretary's report of former meetings there was included the record of a meeting held February 21, when a resolution honoring Cardinal O'Connell was passed, the resolution having been introduced by Dr. O'Connor.

**School Physician Elected**  
Dr. O'Connor, for the committee on school houses and hygiene, recommended a suspension of the rules for the election of Dr. Charles M. Roughan as school physician. Dr. Roughan was elected.

Dr. O'Connor recommended that a dental clinic be established at the Worthen street school for the benefit of the school children. Dr. Bagley is very much interested in this movement and spoke on the question. He has prepared a list of the supplies needed to carry on the work which will be philanthropic on the part of the members of the Dental association.

Dr. O'Connor recommended the election of David H. Anglin as janitor and he was elected. The position that he is to fill was not specified.

Superintendent Whitcomb reported the city solicitor's opinion that the state law permitting employees to draw a proportionate part of their

salaries in cases of enforced quarantine, applies to teachers as to other employees.

A request from the Curtis Publishing company, asking permission to examine the school registers for the purpose of securing canvassers, was submitted by the superintendent, and the request was refused, as establishing a bad precedent.

**Leave to Withdraw**  
Raymond W. Sherburne of the High School asked for an increase of salary for the remainder of the term, to recompense him for losses that he claims he sustained through giving up certain work, at the time he was temporarily promoted to the place made vacant by the death of Frank A. Sherburne. The request was made in the form of a communication to the superintendent.

There was a motion that the request be laid on the table. Mr. Rogers objected, saying that when the committee was made by the former board, Mr. Sherburne's temporary promotion, carried with it an increase of \$40 a month until June 1; that Mr. Sherburne gave up certain other work in consideration of it, and he felt that decisive action should be taken, as a matter of precedence, regarding the request.

Dr. O'Connor then moved to amend by giving Mr. Sherburne leave to withdraw, and it was so voted.

A communication from the S. E. U. club of New York city, pertaining to a rule of the board made last year, abolishing secret societies in the high school, was read by Mr. Whitcomb. The writers asked for a hearing, and the request was denied, unanimously.

**Revision of Rules**  
The matter of the revision of rules was brought up by Mr. Rogers under the head of new business.

He said that one matter to be considered at the next meeting of the committee on rules, was that of the method of selecting teachers, and there would be earnest consideration as to whether the method now provided in the rules is the best one, or whether it is capable of improvement.

He moved that the master of the high school and the masters of the grammar schools be invited to meet the committee in conference, to give the committee the benefit of their experience, in the way of suggestions to be considered by the committee.

**Dr. Bagley Opposed**  
Dr. Bagley seconded the motion in order to bring the matter up for discussion. He then opposed the motion, saying that he fully appreciated Mr. Rogers' desire to establish a superior system, but he felt that this board was just as capable of devising ways and means of arriving at a good system as any former board had been. The former board did not consider it their place to consult the grammar masters. They thought of the best way of doing things, and went ahead and did them.

The time for the selection of teachers, he said, is a long way off, and he had no doubt when it arrived, the committee would devise ways and means of doing it, just as efficiently as the present rule.

Dr. Bagley said that since his election to the board, he had been

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tion to the school board he had been consulting with educators and people interested in educational work as to the best means of selecting teachers and he said it was his intention to formulate and submit a plan that he believed would be superior to the present system.

Dr. O'Connor said he was of the same opinion as Dr. Bagley. He said that the present committee is capable of coping with the situation. He said that the grammar masters have played a pretty important part under the old rules. "If years of experience are necessary on the part of those who select teachers I wonder why it was," said Dr. O'Connor, "that the supervisory board selected the youngest members of the board to do the examining and selecting. Why didn't the experienced men do it? I do not feel that I could conscientiously accept their judgment. Therefore, I oppose the motion."

**Mr. Rogers' Idea**  
Mr. Rogers allowed that too much weight ought not to be given the action of other boards. The present board was simply trying to get the best possible results. He called attention to the fact that a precedent had already been established, by calling in a committee of the teachers, to make suggestions as to revision of rules, and the action had been favorably commented upon. If the masters met the committee it would not be in any sense to dictate, but with a view to get such help as they could, through the experience of those men, who had been many years in the schools. He did not think that this is an emergency, and the experience of only a few months, could assume to be as proficient in practical knowledge of the matter.

Dr. Bagley: "Practically nine-tenths of the grammar masters are in favor of the present system. Ever since my election on the board I have talked with different people regarding the best method of selecting teachers. It is from those suggestions that I intend to advance my views."

The question was called for, and Mr. Rogers asked for a ye and nay vote.

**Merit System**  
Chairman Farrington said he believed the members all agreed in wanting to get the best possible results, and that it should be a merit system of selection. He believed the board should have some expert advice, and he did not care whether it came from the grammar masters or from someone else.

Dr. Bagley asked why each member of the board did not seek advice from persons who gave educational matters a life study.

The vote was finally taken and all voted "no" except Mr. Rogers.

**Evening High School**  
Mr. MacKenzie, chairman of the committee on evening schools brought up the matter of an appropriation for the graduation of the evening high school.

He said it was an event of considerable importance. He had secured the services of David I. Walsh, a speaker and he wished to make the exercises as interesting as possible, and the laudable efforts of the pupils and the important work done by the school deserved commendation. The sum of \$50 has been allowed in the past.

On motion of Dr. O'Connor the amount was raised to \$100. Dr. O'Connor said that the evening school sacrifices a great deal by attending the evening schools and he believed their ambition, industry and perseverance should be appreciated and encouraged. He would like to see the graduation exercises of the evening classes as nearly as possible on a level with those of the day school. He said that the \$100 would enable the committee in charge of the exercises to hire Associate Hall, the high school hall being inadequate.

**Change of Teachers**  
Mr. Rogers brought up a matter which he said he thought ought not to be restricted to the committee room. He asked for a report of the chairman of the High School committee, Dr. O'Connor.

Dr. O'Connor then reported that at a meeting of the High School committee, held last evening, it was voted that Miss Martin, of the High School, replace Miss Burbank, and that Miss Burbank replace Miss Martin. Miss Martin was put in as a temporary substitute teacher, by Dr. O'Connor, of which action notice was given at the January meeting.

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## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The members of the P. Paul Marcel troupe scored a tremendous success at the Opera House yesterday afternoon and evening when they produced the famous four-act drama "Les Femmes Frenches." In the afternoon the audience was not very large but the evening attendance paid up for the day. This was the second trip to Lowell of this group of talented actors and their work was greatly appreciated, and the actors themselves were so enthusiastic about the result of their coming, that they

announced they would soon again return to this city.

The plot of the drama is fairly simple. An old man, in his dotage, made a will, disposing of his goods between his two sons in a manner that engendered difficulties, then the forest mate. For 30 years these two men had lived on opposite sides of the street, fighting each other with law suits, and by their long, bitter struggles, both their wives had died. However, each had left a child, one of them a beautiful daughter and the other a fine, manly son, who fortunately grew to love each other and proved in the means of reconciling the two old men.

The cast was as follows:  
Jean ..... M. Paul Marcel  
Florence ..... Geo. Dumestre  
Georges ..... Roger Guyot  
Jacques ..... Menusot  
Lébel ..... Miral  
Dominique ..... Monroy  
Louise ..... Madame Queyrens  
Marie-Anne ..... Madame C. Paul Marcel  
Nacelle ..... J. Dornay  
Juliette ..... Deraine

The palm of the work certainly goes to Mr. Marcel who is an artist. His playing in "Les Femmes Frenches" is exceptionally good and once more he has shown the Lowell public he is inclined to tragedy and sustains his part as only an artist can. A close second to Mr. Marcel is Mr. Dumestre who as a comedian cannot be excelled. He keeps his audience in a mood of laughter and the loud and frequent applause given him last night was a sure mark of appreciation of his clever playing. Madame Queyrens in the part of Louise was all that could be desired. Her emotional work was startling and she with Guyot, her lover, scored a tremendous success in the last scene of the fourth act.

The other parts were also very well sustained and all deserve special mention. The troupe is an excellent one and probably the best of the kind that has ever visited Lowell and the French speaking people of this city are anxious for a return engagement.

## NAZIMOVA.

To the Opera House tonight comes Nazimova in "The Marionettes." The bare announcement that the most extraordinary of the present day stage figures is to visit us would surely excite general interest but when to that is added the promise that the new play will be found to present her in a new line of acting, the engagement will be looked forward to as one of the real events of the year.

Nazimova's former plays have usually been of a special appeal, that is, they have been in specific directions, but Pierre's comedy, as she interprets it, is thought to contain the elements of general popularity. To begin with it is a comedy with numerous touches of the tragic, less tragic to the auditor than to poor little Fernande de Montclair for the auditor "knows" and Fernande does not,—which is the secret of successful play-writing,—and it is also a love story. Not a love story between two hearts that beat as one, but in the early part of the play, of one heart that almost breaks, and of another that is cold and indifferent.

The Marquis Roger de Montclair has been a high light in the gayest set in Paris and is heavily in debt. His exasperated mother, under threat of losing him completely, has forced him to marry a very young and entirely unsophisticated little country girl for whom he has not the slightest regard, but whose fortune will smooth his prodigal pathway.

He has been the object of her romantic dreams and she is devotedly in love with him, but she comes to Paris the person who knows nothing of the customs of the set in which her husband moves. She is shrinking, undeveloped, plain, almost "dowdy," and is bent always upon showing her affection for him. These qualities are the butt of her set and they grow more and more exasperating until he forgets even the courtesy due her and openly insults her before his friends. He rushes away to Switzerland in company with a dashing and attractive creature, and Fernande is left to contumely and tears.

But instead of rushing to the divorce courts, Fernande does what many another woman has done both in plays and in reality: she determines to fight for what she wants with the weapons she has seen used so successfully against her.

During her husband's absence she blooms almost over night, into a flower of fashion, attractiveness and almost recklessness. Admirers rush to her, they have a habit of doing that to a neglected wife not only in Paris but elsewhere, and she flirts outrageously. Upon her husband's return a few weeks later, he finds her "the toast of the town." He is, of course, astonished at the transformation, becomes enchanted and endeavors to claim her, but she rejects him, and even aversion, to him. It is the old story of the woman who seems beyond reach, and losing no point that she has gained, Fernande drives her husband to despair after his love has been really awakened.

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her how completely she has won, her woman's heart triumphs and she nestles in her husband's arms as she had always so longed to do.

Perhaps this does not sound like comedy, but the play is a comedy nevertheless. Much of the humor and entertaining interest of the play come from the other characters, notably an uncle of Fernande, the role which in London was played by Sir John Hare.

Nazimova's impersonation of Fernande has been declared to be an extraordinary accomplishment and one which in its versatility makes her more than ever one of the greatest stage possessions of the period.

An unusually competent supporting company includes Frank Gilmore, Arthur Lewis, Edward Fielding, Franklin Pangborn, A. Romane Calender, William Haddon, Frank Goldsmith, Arthur Hurley, Grace Carlyle, Kate Meek and Ellen Kearney.

## JAMES K. HACKETT COMING

On March 15th and 16th James K. Hackett and his excellent company will be seen at the Opera House, in his latest success, "The Grain of Dust," a four act drama adapted by Louis Evan Shipman, from the novel of the same name by the late David Graham Phillips. Mr. Hackett is now appearing in this play, in Boston, and is said to be supported by a company of unusual strength including F. M. Holland, Fraser Couffer, Chas. Steadman, and many other artists of equal prominence. The same cast and production will be seen in Lowell, and the success of the engagement here will doubtless be as great as it was elsewhere.

## GET-RICH-QUICK-WALLINGFORD

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## BABY MINE

Wm. A. Brady's production of the clever comedy, "Baby Mine" comes to the Opera House for one night, March 10th. "Baby Mine" has a record of one year in New York, six months in Chicago, and several weeks in Boston.

## THE ROSARY

Rowland and Clifford have done what other managers didn't believe could be accomplished, namely, repeat with the same success, the sensation of last season, is crowding the theatres again this season, and it comes here soon.

## KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

"Ten Dark Knights" with Charles Smith, the clever colored comedian in the lead, have one of the best black-face comedy and musical acts ever seen here. They give a whole performance and a good one at that. They sing, dance and play the brass instruments and are on the more continuously.

De Mott and Maxwell have a neat and enjoyable act entitled "The Maniculist and the Salesman," in which they slip over rapid fire wit and repartee. Mr. De Mott can sing and dance, while Miss Maxwell's imitations are rich. The Steiner Trio are humorous workers on the horizontal bars doing an act never seen here before. Hugel and Taylor sing, dance and tumble with equal grace. Estelle Wordette and Co. have a delightful comedy playlet entitled "A Honeycomb in the Catskills." Weston Fields and Carroll are snappy singers of snappy and new songs. Helen Norma, the prima donna with two voices of different range, presented a captivating singing act. The Great Kreiger performs in magic and conjury. Then there are the pictures. The bill is strong and well varied.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The views of Cardinal O'Connell, during his visit to Lowell last Sunday, are

only a few of the many interesting series included in this week's program at the Merrimack Square theatre. His Eminence is shown in various places during his travel from St. Patrick's cemetery where he placed a wreath on the graves of his parents, to the reception at St. Patrick's church in the afternoon. The views are unusually clear and show, besides the cardinal, other well known clergy of this and other cities. The regular photo plays are up to the standard of the past.

The Brothers Byrne, famous for their production of the "Eight Bells," in "A Carriage Ride and Its Mishaps," are among the entertainers for the week, and their act is scoring one of the real hits of the season. "The Soufflé," with Miss Anna McMahon, C. W. Bradley and Miss Monahan, is an added attraction. Jimmy Valentine, the diminutive comedian, in new features, is sharing in the honors of the week, while the Merrimack Shadowgraph is new and novel.

## ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Amateurs this afternoon and evening at the Academy. Between "Bill" Looney and his funny sayings, "Bill" Gilmore at the piano, "Dad" Murphy, the stage manager and "Tom" Sullivan, the property man, the amateurs are going to be as funny as a stock initiation.

The Fannie Hatfield Stock company presents "The Outlaw," a western comedy dramatic playlet, "Scotch" Farrell, a performer who is originally from Lowell, keeps the audience in good humor with his silly-rid act and his skill as a fire-eater and baton manipulator. "The Bijou Comedy Trio," a marine act of song and comedy concludes the vaudeville. Latest and best pictures including pictures of Cardinal O'Connell taken in Lowell Sunday.

## HATHAWAY THEATRE

An added and a most enjoyable feature at the Hathaway theatre this week is the singing of Mr. Frank Harrington, a member of the LeRoy stock company but formerly with the Denman Thompson "Old Homestead" double quartet. Mr. Harrington has a voice of great range and quality and he is a vocal pupil of the New England Conservatory of Music. "Sunset Trail," the western comedy-drama, is being finely presented by the LeRoy stock company this week and the popularity of the new company is fast growing.

Mr. LeRoy appears in the part of a young Indian here, a role that calls for artistic work in its interpretation and Mr. LeRoy does the part full justice. Mr. Willard Price in the role of a love-stricken Irish soldier of the frontier, holds up the comedy end of the play in excellent manner. The other members of the company are all cast in congenial roles and interpret them to excellent advantage. The play is finely staged. Next week the LeRoy stock company will appear in John Lawrence's great drama, "The Preacher and the Convict."

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Roosevelt announces that he will support the nominee of the convention. Yes he will if that nominee happens to be himself.

The New York police have done a splendid piece of work in finding the daylight robbers who got away with \$25,000 from two bank messengers a couple of weeks ago. The driver of the taxi was in the plot and he is one of the men who will have to answer for the crime.

Chap Clark recalls the fact that February 26 is the anniversary of the day on which Napoleon escaped from Elba and June 18 that of the battle of Waterloo. It was on the former date Roosevelt declared himself a candidate and on the latter will be held the republican national convention at which a good many wise politicians believe Roosevelt will meet his Waterloo.

## MR. HAYWOOD'S THREAT

Mr. William D. Haywood, who has been prominent in prolonging the trouble in Lawrence, has announced that he is coming to Lowell to inaugurate a mill strike. It would appear that Mr. Haywood is of the opinion that he has but to say the word and the mill operatives of Lowell will abandon their looms and their spinning frames to go out on a general strike. We are confident that Mr. Haywood will find the operatives of this city more intelligent than to follow any anarchistic leader whose chief aim is to cause trouble in the industrial centres of New England. The operatives of Lowell no doubt would like an increase in their wages. Under present conditions it is but reasonable that many of them should be dissatisfied, but if they consider the situation at Lawrence they will readily see that the very worst method of securing an increase would be to line up with a lot of anarchists who wish to start a disturbance that would necessitate the calling of the militia to protect life and property. Let the situation at Lawrence be a warning to the mill operatives of Lowell, not to do anything rashly. If they want an increase in wages let them confer with their employers in a business-like way and not put their case in the hands of men who go about the country denouncing the employers of labor as slave drivers and inciting the toiling masses to revolutionary outbreaks that must necessarily result in the defeat of those who engage in any such movement. The mill men of Lawrence absolutely refuse to surrender to Haywood, Eitor and the other revolutionists who have flocked there to start an industrial revolution.

## THE STRIKE SITUATION

The state legislature and even a committee of congress talk of investigating the Lawrence strike. The facts in the case have been pretty well shown up already and no mere investigation that cannot result in pacific action will have any effect. It is now well known that the operatives should have higher wages, it is also well known that the operators would grant a liberal increase, but for the fear that if they did so now, the I. W. W. would exploit the fact as a victory and a pretext for their vindication and the extension of the strike to other cities and towns.

It is further known that hundreds of strikers are anxious to go back to work, but are afraid to do so because they have been threatened with death if they go back before the strike is declared off. It is difficult to see what good an investigating committee can do in face of these circumstances especially when the committee cannot follow up the inquiry by bringing the parties in conflict together in some form of settlement.

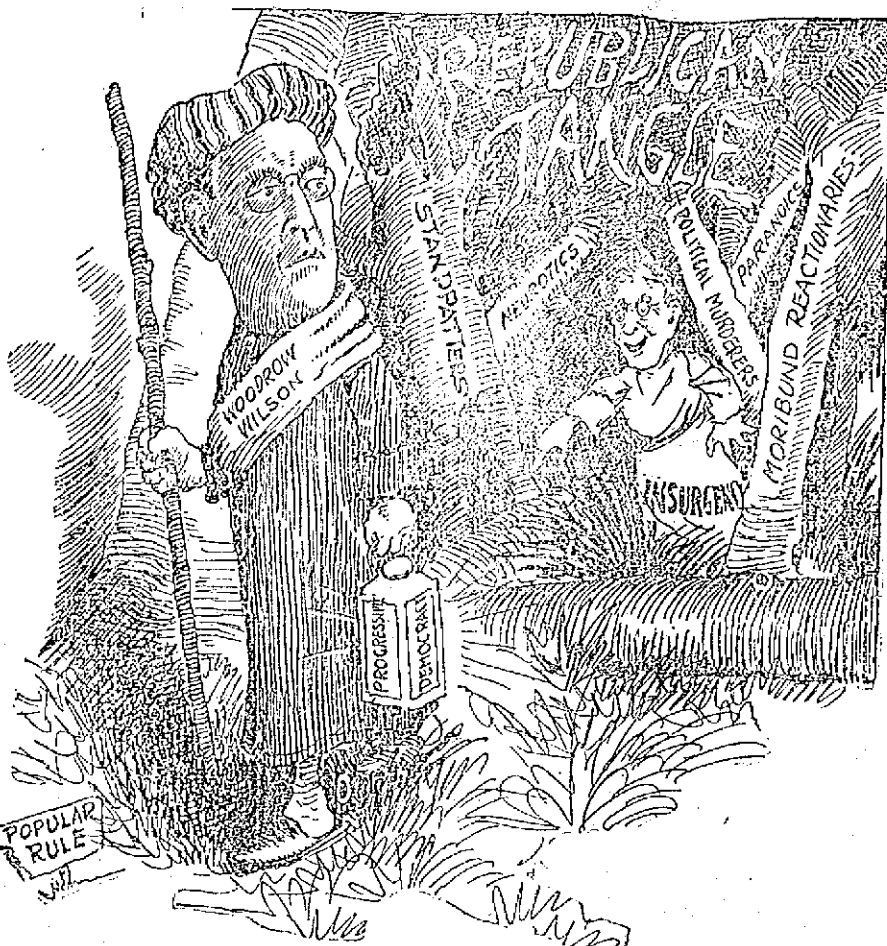
The I. W. W. leaders are against a settlement; they are exploiting the strikers' children as destitute and sending them wherever they are likely to arouse the deepest sympathy. The falsity of the claim that all these children are destitute, or nearly so, was exposed the other day when women sent to the city hospital with their children were found to have large sums of money in their possession.

It is clear that there can be no settlement of the strike in Lawrence while the I. W. W. leaders remain there to incite the strikers and encourage them not to return to work. These leaders may eventually cause trouble that will result in bloodshed. In such cases it is not the strikers but innocent spectators who suffer.

## THREATENED COAL STRIKE IN ENGLAND

All England is on the eve of a great coal strike of national proportions. Already some of the men have quit work and in a day or two it is expected that 100,000 miners will be on strike unless the intervention of the government will succeed in averting the trouble. It is announced that Premier Asquith has been using his utmost endeavor to prevent the strike but the result of his efforts has not yet come to light. The action of the Premier and other government officials in trying to prevent a strike that would temporarily demoralize business is worthy the emulation of other governments in similar cases. The English coal miners are a hard lot to manage but they are not anarchists and their leaders are sensible men who do want to secure better conditions, not to precipitate a revolution. The British public is much alarmed over the threatened strike and its possible consequences. The government, that is the liberal ministry, dreads an upheaval of this kind because the police power would have to be used effectively and any exercise of severity in this respect might be resented by the laborites in parliament and thus the working majority of the party in parliament might be lost. Just at the present juncture, the liberals cannot afford to have any defection of this kind for a date has been set for the introduction of the Irish home rule bill some time in March. The unionists would be delighted to see the liberal program upset by any cause even if it were an earthquake—provided however that they escaped. Premier Asquith and Chancellor George have pulled their party through many difficult situations and it is hoped by their supporters that they will be able to avert this calamitous outbreak so as to be able to carry out this program as planned.

The miners demand a minimum wage, holding that under present conditions many of the men meet with snags that make it impossible for them to make a decent day's wages. The operators admit the justice of this claim and are disposed to grant it, but if they do not compromise, and if the strike occurs, the government may take control of the mines and run them under military control as the recent Paris strike was overcome.



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A recent decision in favor of the city of St. Louis, Mo., and against the United Railways company in the mill-tax case, and involving more than \$2,000,000 has been given, upholding the city's right to collect one mill on each revenue passenger carried by the company.

Wouldn't it be fine if our shrunken revenue could be helped out in this manner?  
San Francisco is to have a municipal opera house costing \$750,000. The plan is for the municipality to own and control the opera house and we beg to remark that that's going some. It doesn't say what kind of shows will be presented there but the chances are it will be decidedly with the city council for a headliner.

The city of North Yakima, Wash., is now the proud possessor of an official flower, the Grasse Anemone, a beautiful red blossom, brilliant in color and profuse of bloom. Wonder would it smell as sweetly or bloom as profusely if called by any other name?

There is no truth in the report that one of the commissioners had decided to chop \$1000 off his salary in order to assist in providing money for the departments.

The world has very many lambs, whose owners' names are hid, and whose lambs grew wool as white as Mary's lamb's. Of course the fame of Mary's lamb is not at all surprising. 'Twas brought about by out-and-out persistent advertising.

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JIM AND JACK  
When Jack lay dead, Jim never came to look at him or shed a tear. Jack's roses lost his name. But Jim himself did not come near. 'Tid like to 'member him,' he said. 'The way he was at fifty-five, An' all the good things I can say I told him when he was alive.

'It ain't no use for me to go An' praise his good deeds for an' near. Let them do that as didn't show Their love for him when he was here. It ain't for me to stand around An' prate about his virtues good. What I can say I said to him When he was here and understood. 'Tid like to 'member him,' he said. 'The way he was at fifty-five, An' all the good things I can say I told him when he was alive.

Job Hodges, the New York lawyer, was called on to respond to a toast at a dinner of financiers. His predecessors had been backing away vigorously at the Sherman Anti-trust law. J. Pierpont Morgan had chuckled audibly when Chumney M. Dewey attacked that bit of legislation, and that trait in Dewey's oratorical footstep. "Some of those who comment on the Sherman law," said Hodges, "make me think of Tom Collins. Tom planned a convivial evening with some friends.

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Boston Herald: The Hoosier tunnel disaster has been so serious as to call for a searching investigation by the railroad commission. Few people at this end of the state realize the extent of the interruptions to traffic. East-bound passenger trains have been sent from North Adams and to Springfield, and then over the river to Springfield. Freight have been sent around by the northern route through Bellows Falls. The intense heat has brought down so much of the wall of the tunnel as to call for extensive repairs, while the accident itself suggests a revision of the system of operation so as to prevent any possibility of recurrence.

## CANADA'S PURE FOOD LAW

Boston Transcript: Canada, which has a pure food and drugs act of its own, has also, like ourselves, a patent medicine problem, and one of astounding dimensions, since it is estimated at Ottawa that 60,000 such preparations are marketed in the Dominion. Under existing legislation it is alleged that many medicines we could exclude are sold in the neighboring country, and that not more than one-fifth of the whole number are registered with the government, though registration costs only \$1. This condition of things has been getting on the nerves of the minister of inland revenue, and he proposes to strengthen the law and then to enforce it. The meritorious preparations will find no obstacles put in their way, but the worthless and dangerous compounds will be handicapped to an extent which is not now possible. We tender our congratulations on this wise decision. It will not be difficult to carry out. On general principles it is safe to proceed against any preparation that tends to establish a drug addiction or that wears the earmarks of a cure-all.

## JUDGE PITNEY'S STATEMENT

Nashville Democrat: Judge Pitney, whose nomination has aroused the opposition of labor leaders, says that he is not an enemy of labor, that one of his decisions against which they protested was made by his father, and he protests against the mistaken habit which the public has of taking a legal decision based upon a peculiar or individual set of facts and giving it a general, sweeping application, neither intended nor implied.

## THE CASE OF GRANT

Boston Post: Theodore Roosevelt is quoted as saying in Boston yesterday that "of course" he meant a third consecutive term in his famous declaration of Nov. 3, 1904. And further that "it must be clear to any reasonable man that the precedent which forbids a third term has reference solely to a third consecutive term."

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

Professor Engelbert Humperdinck, the eminent musical composer, whose serious illness in January caused much anxiety on both sides of the Atlantic, is now improving. He is able to walk about in his house, in Berlin, supported by his wife. One hand, however, is still paralyzed. According to present plans he will make a trip to the south, in the spring, in order to complete his restoration to health.

Lady Ashburton, an English titled lady, who was a New Yorker before her marriage, recently had the profane fancy of causing 1,000 moles to be trapped on her husband's English estate and having their skins made into coats and muffs for her three American sisters.

Mme. Maeterlinck, returning from Boston and New York, said upon arriving in Paris that she was thinking "of nothing but another visit next year, for a very interesting Franco-American affair, as you will see later."

The picturesque qualities of Mme. Maeterlinck made her an object of desire for a certain music hall in New York, says the Music Review. When the proposition was made to her, she was far from loth. She discussed the question, and some one suggested that Sarah Bernhardt and Regine had appeared in music halls. "Sarah can appear in a music hall," Regine can appear in a music hall, and so could Gertrude Leblanc appear in a music hall," she replied. "But," she asked, with one of the wonderful expressions which come into her eyes, "could Mme. Maeterlinck?" The manager thought so and offered her \$3,000 a week—and then more. Gertrude simply smiled, and said that her figure was \$1500 a performance; nothing less would she accept.

Victor L. Berger, the socialist congressman, has become a newspaper editor. He is the head of the Milwaukee Leader, which is a daily, and announces that his purpose is "to enter the house of the proletariat like a ray of sunshine."

The "distinguished singer," hitherto unannounced who has proffered her services for the concert in Boston to

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## GUILDS HONORED

By Russian Court at St. Petersburg

St. Petersburg, Feb. 23.—The American Ambassador, Curtis Guild, Jr., and Mrs. Guild, gave a reception last night, the occasion being the presentation of the ambassador's letters of credence to the emperor.

The collection of paintings and sculptures by members of the Societe des Peintres et Sculpteurs de Paris, formerly the Societe Nouvelle, which has been exhibited recently at the Albright Art Gallery, Buffalo, N. Y., and at the Art Museum of St. Louis, Mo.—the first collection ever exhibited outside of France by this important society, representing as it does all that is best and most vital in the art of France today—has been secured by the Museum of Fine Arts, and will be exhibited there, beginning early in March in the Renaissance court. About 99 per cent of the works in the collection will come to Boston, though a few of them have been sold and sent to the homes of the new owners. The group of French artists which composes the Societe Nouvelle includes both painters and sculptors, and it has for its president, Auguste Rodin, the famous sculptor. Museums all over the United States have been clamoring for the privilege of exhibiting this remarkable collection, and the securing of it by the Boston institution is a very distinct triumph for the management.

Mme. Olive Fromstad, soprano of the Metropolitan opera company, will make an extensive concert tour of this country this year under the direction of Marc Lagen.

Mme. Olga Samoroff has cancelled all her engagements for the rest of the season on account of ill-health. Mme. Samoroff is the wife of Mr. Stojanoff, conductor of the Cincinnati orchestra.

Count White, the ex-promoter, was among the first arrivals, wearing the medal presented to him by the Slav societies of America on the conclusion of the treaty of Portsmouth. The embassy staff consisted of Alexander Benzon and Frederick A. Sterling, second and third secretaries, respectively. Commander Henry P. Hough, naval attaché, and Capt. Nathan K. Averill, military attaché.

Ambassador Guild was attended by Chatterlain De Giers while Mrs. Guild and Mrs. Hough were attended by Baron Hainsay and Prince Cantacuzesco. Mrs. Guild wore white satin with fur trimmings, with an overdress of chiffon studded with rhinestones. Mrs. Hough wore pale blue satin, with duchesse lace.

The decorations of Orloff palace, where the functions were held, were elaborate, hyacinths and spring flowers being used in abundance. One hundred mounted police guarded the streets.

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## THE T. &amp; S. LEAGUE

Great Interest in Contest for Trophy

The Tremont & Suffolk league is progressing rapidly and the closing of the season brings to light a close and interesting fight for the trophy donated by Mrs. Hon. Mayor O'Donnell. The Hosiery team is leading the Dress Room by one point and the Cloth Room by four. This week's games will make a change in the standing for a clean victory for either team means a great deal. The league includes some fast men and a close fight for the individual average is on. Wm. McDermott is leading at the present time with just 15 pins on Howard Halfpenny who is considered one of the best in the league. Patrick Farrell is third, just 18 pins behind the leader.

The league standing is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	P.P.T.
Hosiery	26	14	12,801
Dress Room	25	15	12,988
Cloth Room	22	18	12,864
Foremen	7	23	12,801

The highest team totals at the present time shows the Cloth Room with 1332, the Dress Room with 1302, the Hosiery team with 1285, and the Foremen with 1280. The individual averages of the men in the league with the numbers of strings rolled are as follows:

Player	Strings	Ave.
McDermott, Hosiery	20	92
Halfpenny, Dress Room	20	91.15
P. Farrell, Cloth Room	20	91.12
Lebourdais, Dress Room	20	90.8
C. Farrell, Cloth Room	20	90.7
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.6
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.5
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.4
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.3
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.2
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.1
McDermott, Hosiery	20	90.0

The Northern bowling league which is composed of North Chelmsford men who roll on the local alleys is proving very interesting and many good scores are being put up by the boys from the town.

The standing of the league is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	T.P.T.
Cads	2	3	3862
Ars	5	6	3763
Dids	5	7	3766
Unks	4	5	3773

The individual standing is as follows:

Player	Strings	P.C.
Pone, Dids	9	95.6
Grachin, Cads	9	92.4
O'Connell, Ars	6	89.1
Howe, Ars	6	88.8
Melrose, Cads	6	86.7
K. Kitch, Cads	6	86.3
Herry, Unks	6	86.1
F. Kitch, Cads	6	84.3
McKenney, Dids	6	84.0
C. Lewis, Unks	6	84.0
Whitehead, Unks	6	83.3
Livingson, Ars	6	83.1
Haddy, Dids	6	82.6
Cutty, Ars	6	81.8
Haddy, Unks	6	81.8
Holdsforth, Ars	6	81.7
Cagan, Cads	6	81.3
Gagnon, Cads	6	80.6
Rougman, Ars	6	79.5
Rutley, Dids	6	78.6
Balfinger, Dids	6	69.9

## HARVARD CLUB DINNER

The 12th annual dinner of the Lowell Harvard club was held Monday night at the York club. There were 31 members of the organization and eight guests present, the latter being Prof. J. D. M. Ford of the faculty, Dr. E. L. Nichols of the athletic committee, Mr. Sidney Curtis of the Harvard Alumni association and Mrs. B. H. Nichols, a member of the Y. W. C. A. The dinner was a most successful one and all of the guests were heard from.

During the evening a straw ballot was taken in order to show the choice of the club for the presidential nominee of the republican party. Twenty votes were cast for Taft and eight for Roosevelt.

At the business meeting, which preceded the dinner, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. Chas. T. Billings '34, president; Rev. Frederick Lawton '74, vice-president; James H. Preston '33, treasurer; George H. Smalling '35, secretary; J. Arthur Gage '72, James J. Kerwin '25, and L. Braubach Walsh '05, directors.

## ENGLISH HIGH TEAM

## Meets the Lowell Track Team Saturday

The members of the high school track team are training hard for their meet with the English high school team of Boston, which will take place at the local annex on Saturday evening. The English high team is considered one of the fastest track teams in the state and as they won from the Lowell boys last year the locals are out for revenge. The Lowell team is in the best of condition at present and is confident of turning the tables on the fast Boston team.

The Lowell team will practice every day for the remainder of the week under the able direction of Coach Colburn. Hovers is working hard for the meet and expects to give a good account of himself in all the races in which he appears. Woodward, the clever four distance runner who was such a great factor in the first meet of the Lowell team, is also prepared to put up a stiff battle. Capt. Leggat is getting into condition gradually and is confident that his team will surprise the Boston boys.

In the line-up of the English high team some familiar faces will be seen. Howe, the colored boy who is one of the fastest athletes in schoolboy circles, comes here after making 20 points alone in three meets held recently in Boston. His strong points are the dash, 600, shot put and high jump, besides running on the relay team. H. Korkeva is a good second to Howe in the dashes and Cannavin is a runner of great repute. In a meet recently held Cannavin is credited with 4.51 for the mile which was a lot faster than it has ever been done in Lowell. Randolph is another good distance man that will make trouble for the Lowell boys.

## FAIRMOUNTS WON

Defeated Alpines in City League Series

The local bowling alleys were well patronized last night and many good games were rolled. The game on the Crescent alleys between the Fairmounts and the Alpines in the City league series resulted in a victory for the former team which took all the points. Whalen of the Fairmounts continued his great rolling and was again high man with a total of 229.

Two games were rolled on the Crescent alleys in the Baiten league series. The First Baptist team took three points from the Highland M. E. and the Calvary Baptist five took all the points from the St. Paul's.

In the game between the Eldons and the Eaters the former won everything. Reurgard was high man with a total of 229.

Two teams from the old Concord league held a reunion on Les Mises alleys last night and the Much team received a beaten from The Too Much boys who took two strings and a total.

A new league was opened on the Brunswick alleys last night and the Monarchs took three points from the Werrens. Callahan was high man with a single of 131 and a total of 314.

The scores:

Team	1	2	3	Tot.
Smith	92	20	92	204
Fielding	88	102	84	274
Lebrun	96	104	91	291
Whalen	109	95	105	299
Coleman	95	113	91	299

Totals: 471 424 468 1428

Fairmounts

Alpines

First Baptist

Calvary Baptist

Highland M. E.

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Montauks

Quinn

Callahan

Corbett

Cox

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## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

STOCK MARKET

WAS STRONG AT THE CLOSE THIS AFTERNOON

Activity Increased in the Closing Hour

A Further Expansion of the Buy-

ing Movement—Trading Fell off be-

fore the Close—General Market Re-

tained Its Strength

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Trading was

light and featureless at the opening

of today's stock market. Aside from

a decline of one point in Bethlehem

Steel changes were only fractional,

with losses exceeding gains.

The market reversed its course soon

after the opening, growing active and

strong under the lead of the Inter-

urban Metropolitan issues in connection

with some important developments

said to be impending. All the specu-

lative favorites moved upward as did

also Louisville &amp; Nashville, Atlantic

coast line, American Sugar, American

Telephone &amp; Telegraph and the copper

stocks. Activity soon began to wane

and the prices eased.

With the approach of the noon hour

the market's apathy increased and

further cancellation of some of the

earlier gains was recorded. There

were adverse rumors dealing with

United States Steel but that stock

remained firm. Aside from some slight

strength in such specialties as West-

ern Union and Pittsburgh, C. C. &amp; S.

Louis, trading was devoid of any fea-

ture. Bonds were steady.

Central leather pfd. gave way over

two points on the publication of the

annual report which showed a deficit

of over \$2,000,000 after fixed charges

and dividends. The rest of the market

was not influenced and even advanced

slightly in spots, Reading gaining al-

most a point.

The short interest was given a twist

in the afternoon when large purchas-

ing orders were executed simultane-

ously in the principal stocks. Read-

ing was the leader of the government

and its rise of 2 points was supple-

mented by the advances of about half

as much in Union Pacific, Lehigh

Valley, Amalgamated Copper, Ameri-

can Smelting and United States Steel.

The market closed strong. Activity

increased largely in the closing hour

and there was a further expansion of

the buying movement. Trading fell

off greatly before the close and a few

stocks yielded on scattered realizing

but the general market retained its

strength.

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—From a somewhat

dull opening, local copper stocks start-

ed upward with a rush today, and at

noon the entire list had shown gains.

The Royals and Tamarack led in the

activity.

Exchanges and Balances

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—Exchanges, \$19,

565.94; balances, \$1,112, 238.

Cotton Spot

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling

Uplands 10.45, Middling Gulf 10.75.

No sales.

Cotton Futures

February

March

April

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January

## STOCK MARKET

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Am Pneumatic

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Am Wire &amp; Tel.

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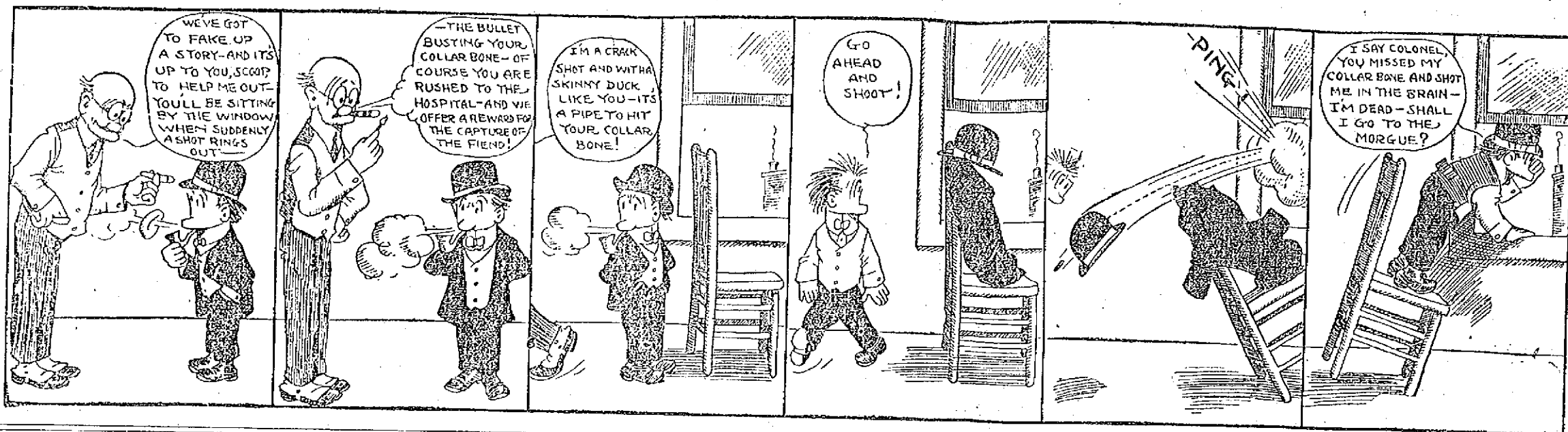
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## MANY A FINE HOSPITAL START COMES NEAR TO BEING A MORGUE FINISH



## TWO KILLED IN RIOTS VETO OF MOTH BILL

## Party of Americans Attacked in Governor Knocks the Raid for \$450,000 Moth Money

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 28.—During the rioting here yesterday in connection with the street railway trouble a party of Americans, driving in an automobile, were attacked by a mob, and one of them was seriously injured. The party included Capt. and Mrs. Fritz Duquesne of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Worley of Brooklyn. The automobile was proceeding through the streets when a group of men attacked it with bricks and stones. Mrs. Duquesne was struck by one of the missiles, and was said last night to be in a serious condition.

## POLICE KILL TWO IN RIOTS

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 28.—Kingston was given over to mob rule throughout the night, and as a result of collisions between the police and the mob, two were killed.

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After a somewhat extended discussion the Massachusetts House refused to substitute for an adverse committee report the bill calling for the election of railroad commissioners. The bill for an open season on quail beginning on Columbus Day, Oct. 12, was attacked. It finally went long, however, after the adoption of an amendment shortening the proposed open season by a few days, but having the season still begin on Oct. 12.

The house was invited to cooperate in the plans now on for the fitting commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg. Gov. Foss sent his first veto message of the season to the house, he returned without his approval the bill appropriating \$450,000 to be expended in three years for gypsy moth suppression.

"Policy Unsound," Says Foss  
The veto message is as follows: "I have returned without my approval an act relating to the suppression of the gypsy and brown-tail moths and providing for the expenditure of \$450,000 on this work during the next three years, commencing December 1, 1912.

"I have already signed bills appropriating \$200,000 for current work of this nature, and the policy of providing for expense appropriations three years in advance does not appear to me to be sound, particularly in relation to work which, as in this instance, does not carry any assurance of efficiency.

"If it appears necessary to provide for this work for the next three years, I shall have no objection to the appropriation of \$450,000 for that purpose."

Committee Reports  
These committee reports were received: Public Health—Leave to withdraw on Mayor Fitzgerald's bill authorizing

EVER-HEAL  
As necessary in the house on a motion Mr. Mahoney of Worcester and Mr. Tolls of Waltham moved to substitute for the bill a resolution that the board of health in Boston to make rules and regulations in all matters affecting the public health and safety; also leave to withdraw on bill to provide homes for public women.

Judiciary—Leave to withdraw on bill providing for submitting to the people the question of the expediency of abolishing the death penalty as punishment for murder in the first degree. Cities—A bill to establish the office of prosecuting attorney of the police court of Springfield; Representative

Public Service—A bill authorizing the appointment of agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals as special police; also leave to withdraw on bill to provide for the analysis of cigarettes; also leave to withdraw on the petition of Norman H. White and Edward E. McSweeney for a reorganization of the state board of health.

Metropolitan Affairs—Leave to withdraw on bill providing for the removal of the elevated structure between North station and Sullivan square. Public Health—Leave to withdraw on bill to regulate the manufacture of cigarettes.

Explains Gettysburg Plan  
Mr. Priest of Haverhill moved to substitute for an adverse report a bill providing that teachers shall make report once a week to the city or town clerk of all persons whom they have moved, stating from what place and to what place they were moved.

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be given assistance at the polls in the marking of their ballots. Senator Stearns opposed the bill as dangerous. The Mack bill authorizing cities and towns to supply needy pupils with food and clothing was placed on the table. The license commissioner's bill was advanced a stage after the rejection of a hostile amendment. The bill provides that a license commissioner, removed by the mayor, shall hold office till review of the case by the court.

The committee on education reported "no legislation necessary" on the recommendation of the state board of education for an agricultural school near Boston. The committee on insurance reported a bill authorizing mutual insurance companies to transact the business of the Employers' Liability Insurance, so-called.

## HIGH ST. CHURCH

## ADOPTS NEW METHOD OF MANAGING ITS BUSINESS

At the High Street Congregational

church last evening the church and society held special meetings and voted to rearrange the legal aspects of the church affairs. Since the starting of the church and society in 1846 the church affairs have been conducted by two separate bodies. The church voted to incorporate under the statutes of Massachusetts providing for the incorporation of religious societies and which also provides for associate membership for those who have heretofore constituted the society of the church. The rearrangement of the financial affairs of the church and society were duly provided for at this meeting and the prudential committee was authorized to proceed along these lines.

Heretofore the church property was held by owners of shares of stock in a corporation style, but under the new plan the ownership of the property will be vested absolutely in the church itself and there will be but one administrative body in place of the divided one.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Tonight at 6.30 o'clock the social work committee will hold a monthly meeting in the board room and supper will be served by the Women's auxiliary.

At 7.15 the first aid class will be taught by Dr. Ralph Stewart.

The Get Together club will have a meeting tonight at 9 o'clock.

On Thursday evening the Women's auxiliary will meet at the residence of Mrs. A. A. Robinson, 278 Pine street where a musicale will be given.

On Friday evening the meeting of the Get-Together club will be postponed to the 5th, but at 8.15 there will be an illustrated lecture by Dr. Brad-das on "Texas and the Southwest."

The employed boys will visit Lawrence Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening, and will participate in games, etc. with the Lawrence boys.



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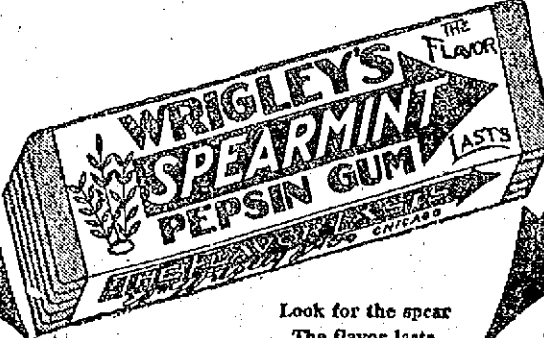
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"The appetite you develop—your helped digestion and purified breath—are from these mint leaves."

"Chew all you want. It's refreshing and good for you."

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Look for the spear  
The flavor lasts



## THE LOCAL ELKS

Visited by District Deputy O'Brien

Last evening the local lodge of Elks was honored by an official visit of District Deputy Edward B. O'Brien and suite. In arranging for this big affair the local lodge made elaborate plans and the exercises were conducted in a most successful and enjoyable manner.

District Deputy O'Brien, who is judge of the eastern district of Lynn, is a member of Salem lodge, No. 799. He is a man of wide fraternal experience and along with being an honored and respected member of the Elks is supreme treasurer of the Foresters of America. The visit of the district deputy is considered the biggest event of the year in Elksdom and the officers always provide a royal welcome for him.

Judge O'Brien was accompanied by his entire suite, the latter being at-



MICHAEL J. MARKHAM, Exalted Ruler.

ired in full evening dress. There were 15 in the party and they came to this city in automobiles. Before arriving at the Elks' room in Middle street the district deputy and suite made their headquarters at the Richardson hotel. Among those in the party were P. A. McSweeney of Salem; Daniel Desmond, of Lawrence; John Byrne of Lawrence; John O'Shea of Lynn; William H. Shaffer of Melrose; David A. Healey, exalted ruler of Lynn. Upon the arrival of the distinguished visitor at the lodge rooms the exercises were opened. Michael J. Markham, exalted ruler of the Lowell lodge presided. Remarks were made by District Deputy O'Brien and the other members of the suite. All spoke of the great progress the Lowell lodge has made and congratulated the members for their "good work."

During the meeting a large class initiation was held and the applications of several candidates were read. The program of the exercises was quite long but owing to the great significance of the occasion the large number of members and friends remained until the end. After the business of the meeting was concluded a social hour was held and an excellent buffet lunch was served by Jim Smith. The District deputy and suite returned to their homes in automobiles.

The Lowell lodge at the present time is in a most prosperous condition and the present officers have proven very efficient. The building fund of the lodge is increasing rapidly and the

members expect to have a home of their own in the near future. As is the custom in the Elks all the lodges are the owners of the headquarters, which are known as homes. At the present time there are \$300 in the United States which are valued at \$16,000,000. One of these homes is located in New York city and it is one of the finest structures in the country. It is 14 stories and along with the numerous rooms that are used for lodge purposes there are 250 sleeping rooms, completely furnished and supplied with individual baths. A first-class restaurant is also located there and members of the Elks from all over the United States make their headquarters there when in the metropolis.

There is great interest in the election of the officers of the local lodge which will be held at the first meeting of the lodge next month. The annual convention of the Elks will be held at Portland, Oregon, this year during the month of July.

At the annual convention of the Elks in Portland, Oregon, the grand exalted ruler of the United States will be chosen and there is great interest in the outcome. This is the highest honor that can be conferred upon a member and it is the ambition of all to receive the honor. The present incumbent is John F. Sullivan of New Orleans and he has charge of appointing the district deputies.

In illustrating the high esteem in which this office is held, John H. Cull, the secretary of the Lowell lodge, said that two years ago Garry Herrman, president of the Cincinnati baseball team, who was aspiring to the honor of a special trip of 14 Pullman cars to run from Cincinnati to San Francisco. He paid the expenses of the train, the members who rode and also had a large brass band to furnish music.

The present officers of the Lowell lodge are exalted ruler, Michael J. Markham; esteemed lodge knight, William H. Shaffer; esteemed lodge knight, William W. Murphy; esteemed lecturing knight, George W. Bissonette; secretary, John H. Cull; treasurer, Charles H. Molloy; Tyler, John J. Parker; trustees, Thomas A. Golden, Cornelius E. Collins and James T. Doyle; Esquire, John H. Cull; chaplain, Daniel W. Shanahan; inner guard, John W. McElroy; organist, Dr. Thomas F. Carroll; lodge physician, Dr. Frank A. O'Sullivan; finance committee, James J. Redmond, Samuel Scott and William S. Eaton. These are assisted by several sub-committees.

## MR. O'CALLAGHAN

GOES TO LONDON TO REPORT HOME RULE DEBATES

Mr. John O'Callaghan, national secretary of the United Irish league, sailed yesterday on the Ivernia for Ireland. He took with him the two youngest of his four children. He goes to represent the Boston Globe during the home rule debates in the British parliament. He was tendered a banquet at the Lennox hotel Monday evening by a number of his friends.

Quite a gathering of his intimate friends assembled at the wharf yesterday to bid him good-by. Mr. O'Callaghan's accounts of the parliamentary debates will be illuminating as no man on either side the Atlantic understands the Irish question in all its aspects better than Mr. O'Callaghan. Among those who were on the pier to bid him farewell were Michael J. Jordan, Rt. Rev. Mgr. Denis O'Callaghan, Rev. P. J. Lyons, Rev. Dennis Sullivan, T. B. Fitzpatrick, Dr. P. J. Timmins, James E. Cotter, Dr. H. V. McLaughlin, Dr. T. J. Dillon, Michael Maynes, John Hawlett, John Woods, P. H. Costello, Col. E. F. Scannell, M. W. Fitzsimmons, Lawrence McGovern, Arthur O'Keefe, Thomas Sproules, Dennis O'Reilly, Michael Morrison, P. J. Lynch, Hugh Osborne, James J. Lynch, Mayor Patrick J. Duane of Waltham, James T. Barrett, William Kenney, Patrick F. Ford, Lieut. Egan, Daniel Sullivan, Patrick O'Callaghan and Inspector Michael J. O'Connell.

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## LAWRENCE STRIKE

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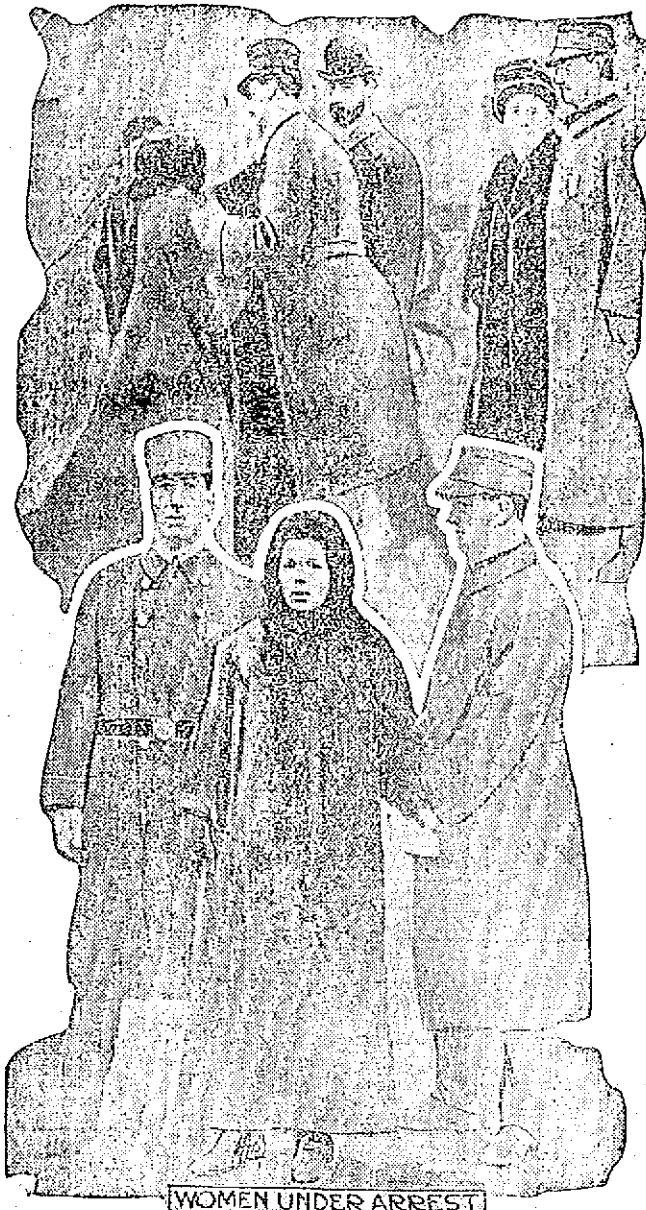
## THE SOCIALISTS

MAKE AN APPEAL TO PRESIDENT TAFT

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—John Work, secretary, has sent a telegram from the national headquarters of the socialist party here to President Taft and similar messages to Governor Foss of Massachusetts and Mayor Stanton of

Lawrence. The telegram in part follows: "The socialist party of America, as the political expression of the working class, by action of its national executive committee demands that you use the power invested in you as the chief executive of the United States, to protect workingmen, women and children of Lawrence, Mass., from the violence of lawless officials. It is monstrous to wreck vengeance upon helpless children. We protest against it."

Governor Foss and Adjutant General Pearson are being made familiar with the situation by Col. Elroy Sweetser



WOMEN UNDER ARREST IN LAWRENCE

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## STATE MILITIA

NOT TO BE WITHDRAWN FROM LAWRENCE YET

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—A widely circu-

lated report that the troops were about to be withdrawn from Lawrence did not find substantiation at the state house today, except that the admission was made that the policy of a gradual reduction of the force of militiamen on duty would probably be pursued. No date has been set for the withdrawal of the last soldier but at present there are only ten companies of militia on duty at Lawrence, as compared with 24 companies on duty three weeks ago.

In command of the troops at Lawrence, Col. Sweetser returned to Lawrence today after a long conference with the governor.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

TAME—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Tame will take place Thursday morning from her late home, No. 1 Pollard avenue. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

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## Maker &amp; McCurdy

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## Special Mark-Down Sale of Cotton Underwear Thursday, Friday and Saturday

THESE ARE ALL SPECIAL VALUE AND ARE SLIGHTLY SOILED OR MUSSSED AS THEY ARE GENUINE MARKED DOWNS AND NOT GARMENTS MADE FOR A SALE

## High Neck Gowns

Yoke of tucks and embroidery. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Marked from \$1 to ..... 59c

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Tucked yoke, hemstitched ruffle. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Marked from \$1 to ..... 59c

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Tucked yoke, ribbon tied, short sleeve. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Regular \$1 to ..... 59c

## Round Neck Gowns

Yoke of lace insertion and medallions. GOOD FIRM CLOTH. Regular \$1.19 to ..... 59c

## 1 Lot Assorted Gowns

In odd sizes and various trimmings. FINE \$2.00 GOWNS to ..... \$1.25

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## Short Skirts

Hemstitched tucked flounce. EXTRA FIRM CLOTH. Marked to ..... 39c

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## Combination Corset Cover and Drawers

Lace insertion and lace edge. GOOD CLOTH. Regular \$1.00 quality. Marked to ..... 69c

## Princess Drawers and Corset Cover

Trimmed with lace and embroidery. GOOD FINE CLOTH. Regular \$1.25 \$2 quality. Marked to ..... \$1.25

## Combination Corset Cover and Skirt Drawers

Ribbon draw-strings, lace trimmed. EXTRA FINE CLOTH. Were \$1.49 \$2.00, now ..... \$1.49

## 1 Lot Combinations

Assorted sizes and styles, handsomely trimmed. VERY FINE CLOTH. Were \$3.00, now ..... \$1.98

## DRAWERS

1 lot assorted styles and trimmings. EXTRA GOOD CLOTH. Were 25c 50c, now ..... 25c

1 lot tucked embroidery edge, close fit top, EXTRA GOOD CLOTH. 37/2c Marked to ..... 37/2c

## Great Reduction in Skirts

1 LOT HEMSTITCHED TUCKED FLOUNCE AND WIDE TUCKED FLOUNCE. EXTRA FIRM CLOTH. \$1.00 and \$1.50. Reduced to ..... 50c

1 LOT TUCKED AND EMBROIDERY FLOUNCE, LACE INSERTION FLOUNCE. GOOD FIRM CLOTH, \$1.50. Reduced to ..... 98c

1 LOT DEEP EYELET EMBROIDERY FLOUNCE. GOOD CLOTH, \$3.00. Reduced to ..... \$1.98

1 LOT DEEP EMBROIDERY FLOUNCE, FINE QUALITY, \$5.00. Reduced to ..... \$2.98

## CORSETS

1 Special Lot THOMPSON GLOVE FITTING, EMBROIDERY TOP, LONG SKIRTS, 6 hose supporters, sizes 18 to 26. Regular \$3.00 value for.....

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## WINTER COATS

127 Winter Suits

AT \$7.95

About 60 coats—every coat at about 1-3 regular price. The carpenters have possession of the store. You reap the gain.

## WINTER SUITS

AT \$10.00

Suits—Many new ones in the lot—Serges and Mixtores. Be one of those lucky buyers; all sizes.

## Dresses at \$5.00

ALL WOOL SERGE NEW SPRING LINGERIE ODD DRESSES AND COSTUMES—100 DRESSES IN THE LOT—THAT SOLD TO \$20.00, AT..... \$5.00

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ABOUT 75 DOZEN WAISTS IN THIS SALE

Working 39c Worth 75c

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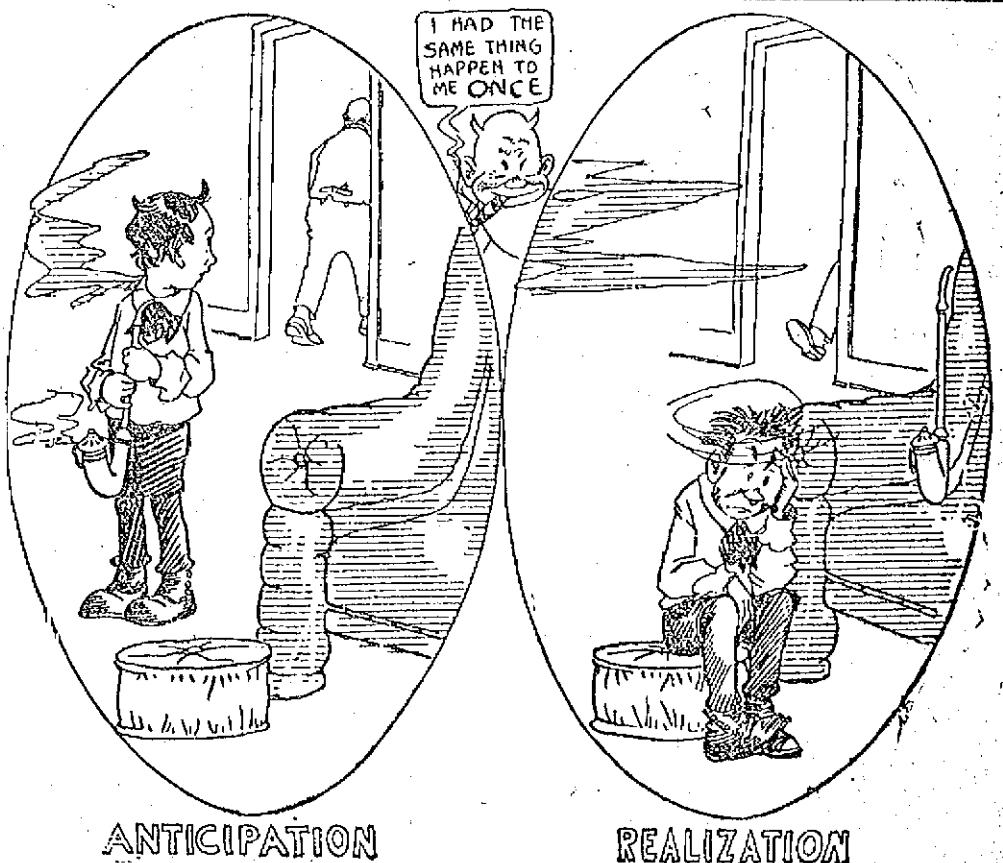
TABLES OF SKIRTS at \$1.90, \$2.90, \$3.90

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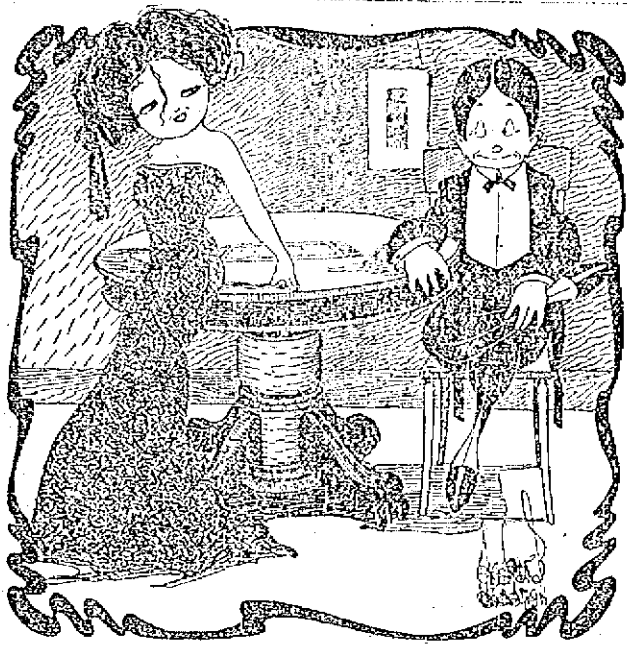


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## A PAGE OF FUN



PREPARING HIM.

Evelyn—Did you see the new moon over your left shoulder?  
George—Yes.  
Evelyn—Then, of course, you must expect bad luck.  
George—What do you mean?  
Evelyn—Why, when you ask me to marry you, as you mean to do very soon, I will say "no."



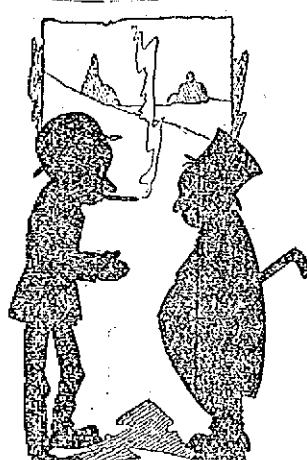
AS PA SEES IT.

"Say, pa, what is vulgar ostentation?"  
"Vulgar ostentation, my son, is the display made by people who have more money to make it with than to have."

## The Spring Poet.

The poet sees old winter skipping  
And spring come down the landscape tripping  
And blithely pass,  
A merry lass,  
Just like a coil turned out to grass;  
He sees her, most divinely fair,  
Come floating in without a care,  
Serenely grand;  
So, pen in hand,  
He grabs a sheet of paper, and  
He don't do a thing to spring, sweet  
Sweet spring—  
He don't do a thing to spring.

He notes the hillside fairly blushing,  
The brooklets to the river rushing,  
The sun's warm flood,  
The tender bud,  
But oh, he never sees the mud!  
The while the merry farmer's boy  
Jumps all of seven feet high for joy;  
On every hand  
The leaves expand,  
And so he grasps his pencil, and  
He don't do a thing to spring,  
Sweet spring—  
He don't do a thing to spring.



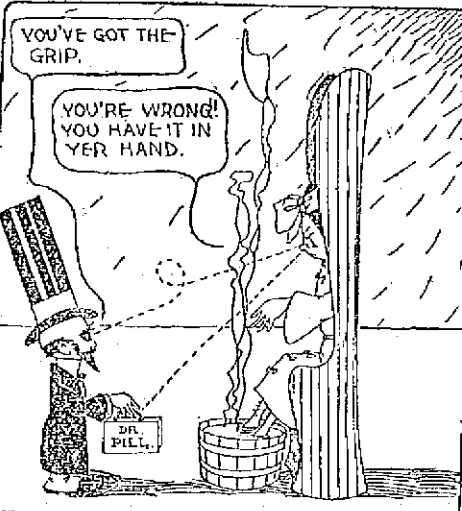
THE SPRING CROP.

"What's fresh in spring hats?"  
"Well, the milliners have invented two or three new vegetables, I believe."



THEN THEY MOVED.

Mr. Browne—What do you want to move for? We've everything modern here.  
Mrs. Browne—But, Howard, over there they have a bathroom for the canary.



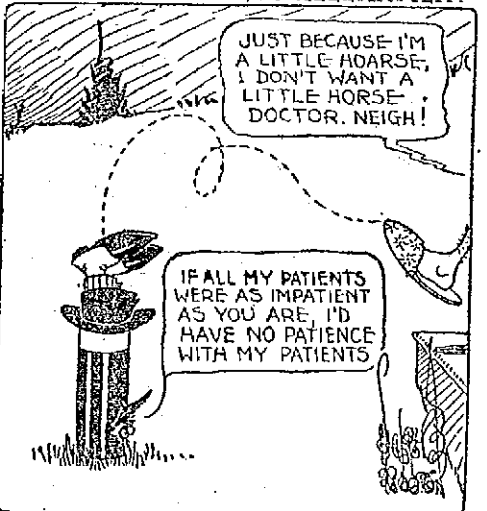
OLD DR. PILL WAS QUITE A DOC  
HE'D WALK RIGHT IN AND NEVER NOC  
AN-ILL WIND, ONE MARCH DAY DID BLOW  
AND MADE ME ILL AND BLUE, YOU KNOW.



WELL, I'D MADE UP MY MIND THAT I  
MUST TAKE SOME MEDICINE—OR DIE—  
AND, AS I DIDN'T WANT THE LATTER,  
I SAID TO DOC "DOC, WHAZZEMATTER?"



WHAT DO YOU THINK THAT DOCTOR DID?  
HE SHIFTED HIS TOBACCO QUID,  
AND SAID "COUGH UP A DOLLAR BILL,  
AND I'LL GIVE YOU A QUININE PILL."



MY COFFERS WERE EMPTY, SAID HE "THAT'S GALL,  
IF YOU ARE BROKE, TO HAVE ME CALL."  
"BUT I'LL RETURN YOUR CALL," SAID I,  
"WHEN I AM BETTER—BYE AND BYE."

## A Few "Whys."

WHY does the young man plow his way through the deep snow?  
"Why does he jump fences?"  
"Why does he seize the bucksaw and saw a half-cord of wood?"  
"Why does he love to clean a thousand feet of sidewalk after a blizzard?"  
"Why does he run a mile or more and huck?"  
"Why does he pick up grindstones and hurl them about?"  
"Why does he encourage the youth of the land to peg at him with brick-bats?"  
"Why does he turn from the foamy mug and say it's water for him?"  
"Why has he ceased to go courting o' nights?"  
"Why does he turn from the jolly doughnut and the festive fried oyster and pass his howl for more oatmeal?"  
Nothing at all mysterious about it.

He has simply begun his training for the spring season of baseball. That's all.  
THE FAMILY ROGUES GALLERY.  
"You know Mrs. Van Gilder's family portrait gallery that she started last year?"  
"Yes."  
"Well, that great criminal detective officer who guarded the wedding presents when Frodo Van Gilder married the oldest De Graft boy, told me that he recognized seven of the portraits, and they had all done time—whatever that means."

## LUCKY PUBLIC!

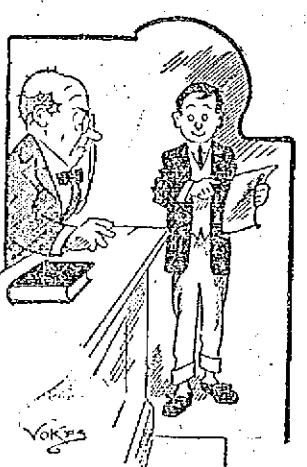
Full many a verse,  
Of purest ray serene,  
Is written for the public,  
But is never seen.

## OTHER HELLS.

Satan—I don't like this talk about war being hell.  
Imp—Why not?  
Satan—It gives people the idea that we haven't a monopoly.

## Probably a Mistake.

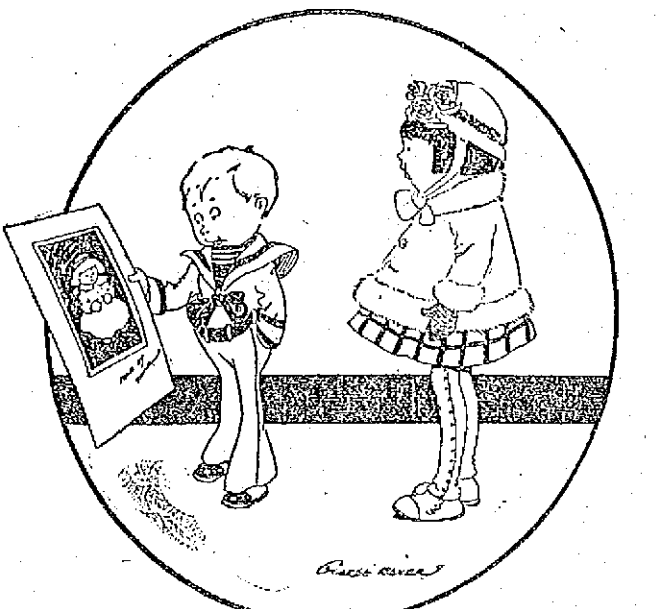
GENTLEMEN, what can we say of the moral conditions in this country when a gang of men hold up and rob a New York newspaper in broad daylight?" asked the sad-faced man.  
"Such a thing happened, did it?" was asked.  
"Of course it happened. Didn't you read of it?"  
"I believe I did, but I passed it along as a mistake on the part of the robbers."  
"Mistake—how? When a man with a gun goes in to hold up a place how can there be any mistake about it?"  
"Why, in this instance, if I remember right, they thought they were in the quick-lunch shop next door. It's a good case for a plea of insanity, if they really planned to rob the newspaper."



NO SUCH THING.

"Why, sir, they got some seventeen dollars!" exclaimed the sad-faced man.  
"You don't say! Then one of the gang will certainly plead that he carried it in his own pocket!"

The Sophomore—"I wish you'd explain this line: 'They kept the noiseless tenor of their way.' What is meant by 'noiseless tenor'?"  
Prof. Groumhore, the Music Master—"A noiseless tenor is a fatuous dream."



Ebbey—Yep! 'It's me, all right, but it was taken when I was a girl.

## By Analysis.

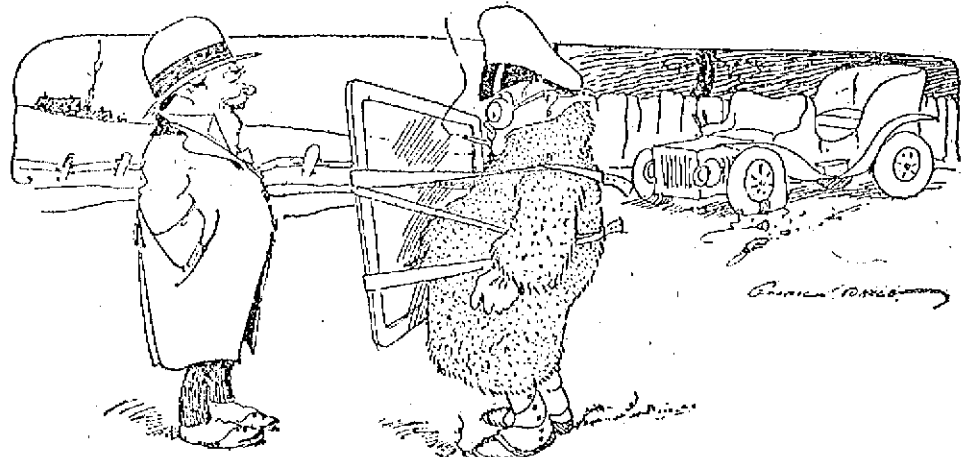
SEE you are reading one of Sherlock Holmes' books," he said to the man sitting opposite in the Pullman.  
"Yes, sir."  
"Great detective writer!"  
"Yes."

"But do you notice he works everything out by analysis?"  
"Mostly that way."  
"I think I would do the same."  
"So? Let me put a hypothetical case to you. A convict escapes from Sing-Sing."  
"I see."  
"No trace of him is found for two years. The case is then given to you. How would you analyze it?"  
"Easy as rolling off a log. I should look for and find him a member of the Legislature!"



ONE DRAWBACK.

Hoddy—Don't you ever have a longing to go fishing?  
Neddy—Yes, I've had a longing to go fishing a few times, but I never had a longing to dig bait, yet.



MORTIFIED.

"Why, Percy! What!"  
"Don't mention it, old chap. I'm terribly mortified as it is, but the motor has broken down and I'd catch my death of cold, 'pon honor, if I went without my wind-shield."



PREPARED.

How about Griny? He read in de paper we was goin' to have a late spring, so he ast de judge to give him three months 'stead of one—an' he's in yet.

## IT WAS A FAILURE.

He picked out his pedestrian and halted him, and then taking an ear-trumpet from his own pocket he held it to his ear and asked:  
"Will you have the kindness to direct me to Bridge street?"  
"Two blocks down!" was shouted into the trumpet.  
"Four blocks up, eh? Much obliged."  
"No! Two blocks down!"  
"Did you say three blocks sideways?"  
"I—saw—two—blocks—down!"

"I almost get you, but not quite. If you would be so kind—"  
The other repeated that Bridge street was two blocks down.  
"It's singular," said the man with the trumpet.  
One more repeat.  
The man took the trumpet from his ear and shook his head and ruefully said:  
"I guess I'll have to give up going to Bridge street. You might try once more and then we'll let it go."  
It was once more shouted that

Bridge street was two blocks down.  
"It is evidently a failure," said the deaf party as he restored the trumpet to his pocket. "I don't see what he got it for."  
"Isn't it your trumpet?"  
"Bless you, no!"  
"And you aren't deaf?"  
"Not in the slightest."  
"Then—then—"  
"Just trying it for a friend who is deaf, but the thing is a failure—a flat failure. Thanks. So long!"

JOE KERR.







